

Limited Edition



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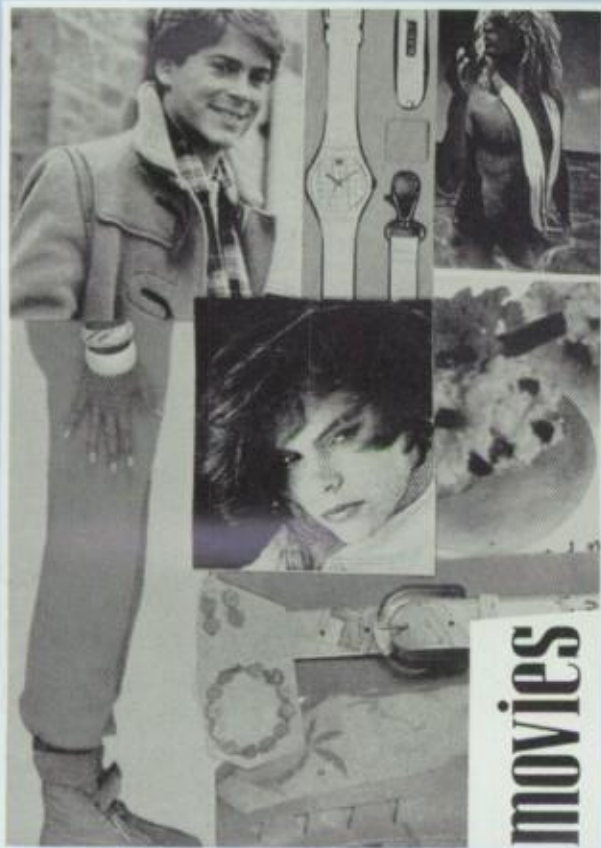
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The
Year:
A
Look
Back



YOUR CHOICE

Out of a student body of 1130, more than 300 students took the time to respond to the *Corona's* survey. The votes were collected, counted, and compiled. These are your choices, your favorites of the year. All the way from favorite food to favorite teacher, you can see some expected results and many surprises.

Favorite Actors

- 1) Rob Lowe
- 2) Sylvester Stallone
- 3) Michael Fox



Favorite Food

- 1) Pizza

PIZZA



Favorite Song

- 1) Loving Every Minute Of It
- 2) I Miss You
- 3) We Built This City

Favorite Movie

- 1) Back To The Future
- 2) Rambo
- 3) Karate Kid



Favorite Teacher

- 1) Mrs. Lee
- 2) Mrs. Watts
- 3) Mr. Reese



Reese

Lee

Watts

Favorite Group

- 1) Bryan Adams
- 2) Van Halen
- 3) Loverboy



Loverboy: Matt Frenette, Paul Dean, Mike Reno, Doug Johnson, Scott Smith

Favorite Sport

- 1) Football
- 2) Basketball
- 3) Baseball



Favorite Player

- 1) Michael Jordan
- 2) Refrigerator Perry
- 3) Dale Murphy

Favorite Subject

- 1) Math
- 2) P.E.
- 3) English

Favorite Show

- 1) Miami Vice
- 2) Bill Crosby Show
- 3) Guiding Light

SENIORS SAY

The Corona staff asked all the seniors of the class of '86 to write a sentence explaining how they felt about the past four years at St. Stephens. Many different opinions were expressed, and although these quotes can never express the complete overall feeling of the class of '86, they can still give some insight about how fifteen individuals feel about their years at St. Stephens, and how others might possibly feel also. All you freshmen, take heed! There may be some wisdom in these words, but if not, then these quotes do express the memories of the Class of 1986.



Much pain, but a lot of gain — Steve Lloyd

I may have moved in halfway through, but I feel at home at SSHS — Nick Kentopp

High school means finding great friends and wonderful memories — Mari Rockett

It was full of laughter and fun, tears and fears, but now it's almost gone — Rhonda Allison

I've loved every minute of it, but I can't wait to graduate — Stephanie Burket

Baloney — Crystal Withers

I came, I saw, I got out alive. We're outta here! — Daryl Page

It could have been much worse — Lisa Von Dohlen

It ranged from the ridiculous to the sublime — Angie Terry

These four years at St. Stephens have been all around very wonderful. Wouldn't exchange them for anything — Julie Tallman

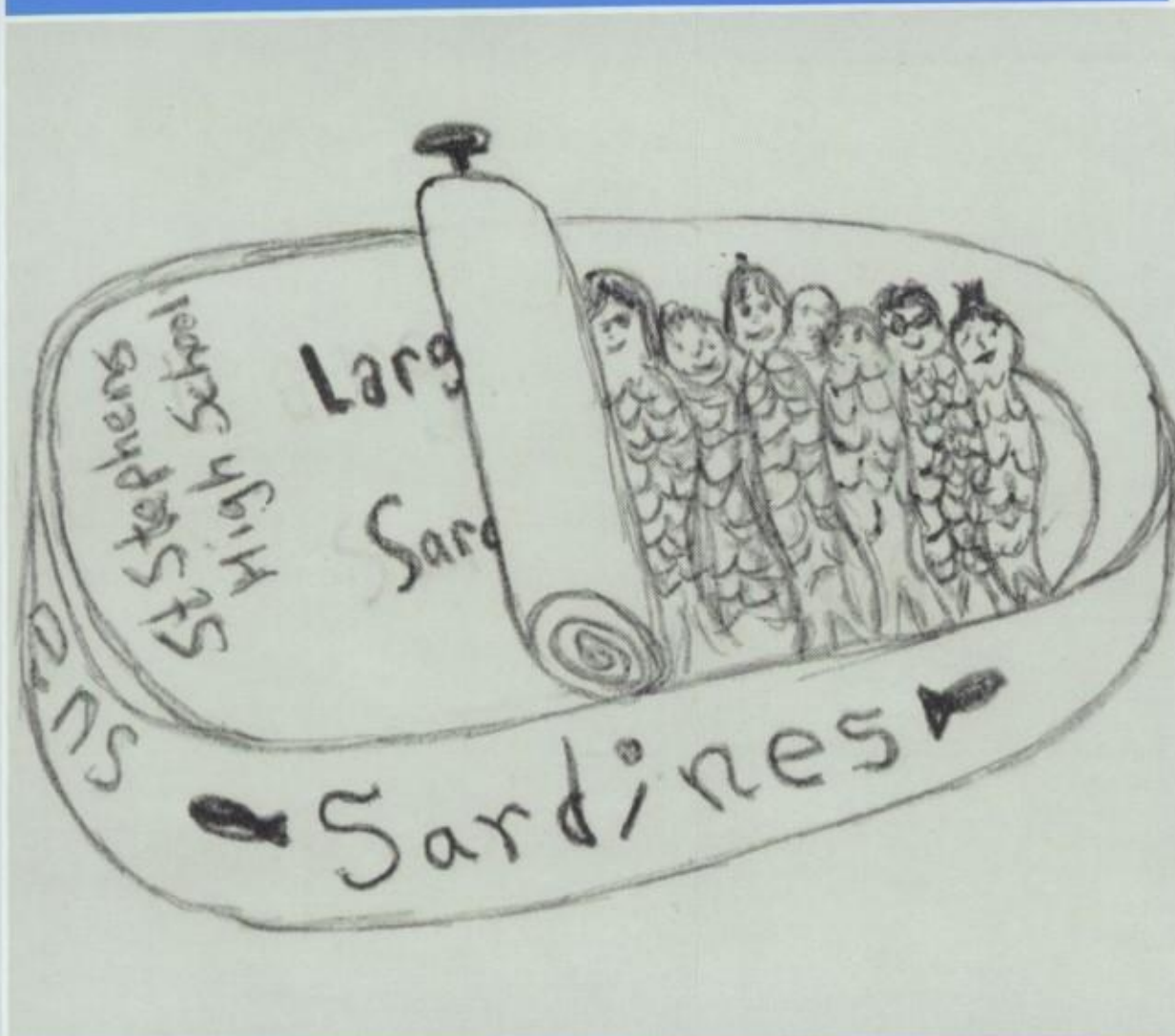
Hectic, unorganized, in short — total anarchy. — Andrew Turman

My high school years seemed to go by faster than I thought. St. Stephens has filled a stage of my life and taught me many things well — Mary Beckom

The years at St. Stephens have been memorable, and will always be in my thoughts — Chad Young

... images of loving parents, caring teachers, and true good friends, awash in a sea of life which was high school — Gordon Wetmore

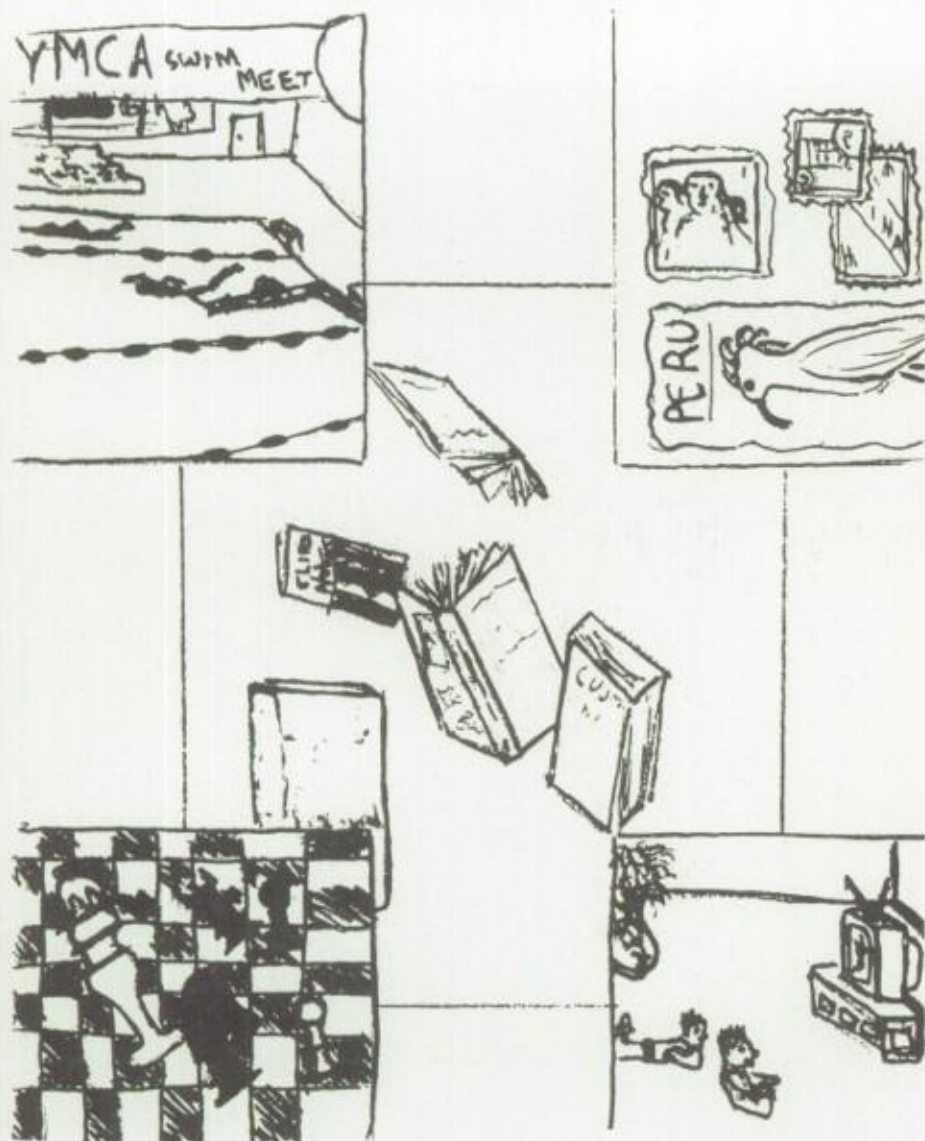
TIGHT FIT



You're walking down the halls of St. Stephens High School at a fast rate. The bell rings. You rush into the hall, hoping to beat the crowd so you can get to your next class on time. It seems as if the crowd has definitely grown this year. St. Stephens had 1063 students enrolled at the end of last year. Now, after five months of school, St. Stephens has 1130 students enrolled. Even if drop-outs and students moving away from the St. Stephens district are taken into account, the increase is still sizable. Packed classes and halls seem to be the new norm at SSHS. With one mobile unit adding new space, SS is trying to keep pace with the enlarged enrollment. Additional constructed space may be hard to get as officials debate the potential increase or decrease of SSHS student population in future years. Until new classrooms are built, good luck trying to get to your locker and your classes.

DID YOU KNOW ... St. Stephens was built for a capacity of approximately one thousand students?

HOBBIES



Having a hobby is a productive way of using your spare time. There are different hobbies to suit each particular person.

Playing the piano, collecting stamps or dolls, playing sports, doing needlework, or working on cars are various types of hobbies.

Whatever your hobby may be, developing it is well worth your time and effort.

WORKING HARD FOR THE

MONEY

Lajeanna Rudisill, ringing up a customer's purchase at the register of Eckerd's Drug Store.

Working diligently, **Shawyn Heavner** looks over inventory sheets at Springs Road Pharmacy.

Michelle Hollar enjoys working the cash register at Winn Dixie for an after-school job.

Donna Lafone putting items on the shelves of the cosmetic department at Eckerd's.



TEACHER OF THE YEAR

Ten-Minute Interview



Mrs. Libby Sigmon, guidance counselor, was voted teacher of the year by the faculty of St. Stephens High.

Q. How did you feel when you found out that you were chosen teacher of the year?

A. I was surprised and very pleased to know that my colleagues thought of me in this way. I didn't know that guidance counselors were eligible to receive the award.

Q. What things do you like about St. Stephens?

A. I think that the students are very motivated and mature. I enjoy working with them and the faculty also.

Q. How did you get interested in working in the guidance office?

A. Well, my husband was a counselor at SSHA at one time, and he got me interested in doing guidance work.

Q. What other school have you worked in?

A. I worked at Bunker Hill for ten years and at St. Stephens Elementary for six months. I used to be a business teacher before I started working as a guidance counselor.

Q. What things do you enjoy doing outside of school?

A. Some of my hobbies are doing cross-stitch and raising orchids. I also do various forms of artwork for people.

THE COMET COMETH

Once again after 75 years **Halley's Comet** returned. In 1910 when **Halley's Comet** first appeared people considered this bright ball of fire an omen. People feared the comet signified the coming of such disasters as plagues and wars. Today we no longer fear such astrological events. For astronomers the comet is the ideal opportunity to study what is believed to be the raw material of the solar system, preserved in the deep freeze of outer space for billions of years.

Halley's Comet did not streak across the heavens like a meteor, as many people believed. The comet became visible in September through powerful telescopes and by the spring of 1986 it could be seen with the naked eye.

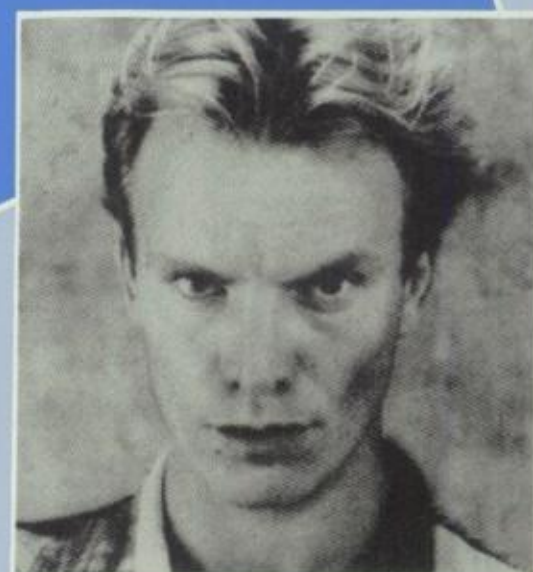
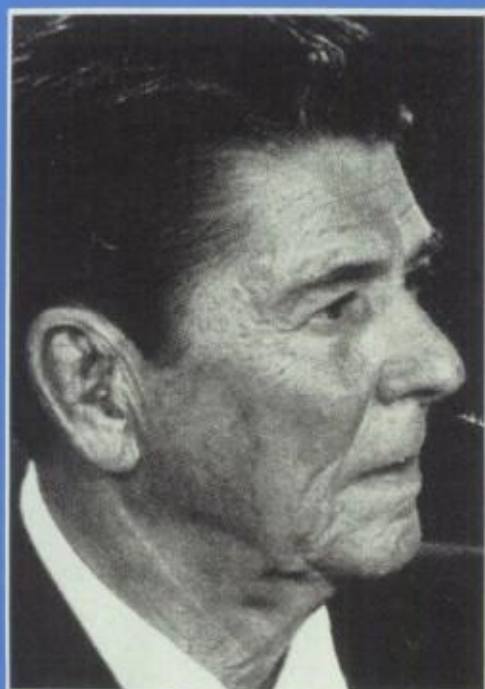
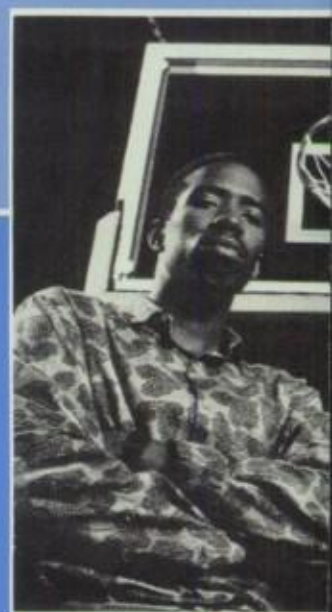
The return of **Halley's Comet** in 1985 was not as bright as in 1910 because as it travels through the universe it loses many particles over the years.

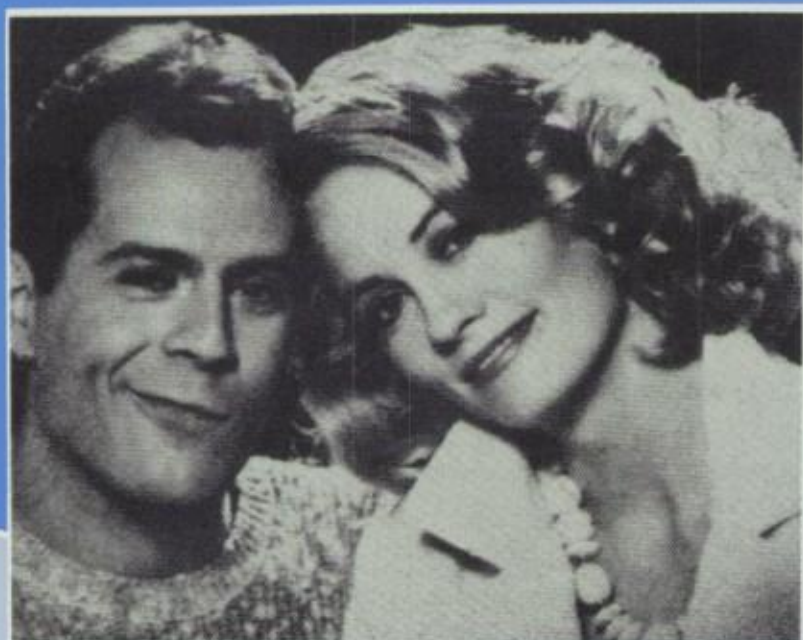
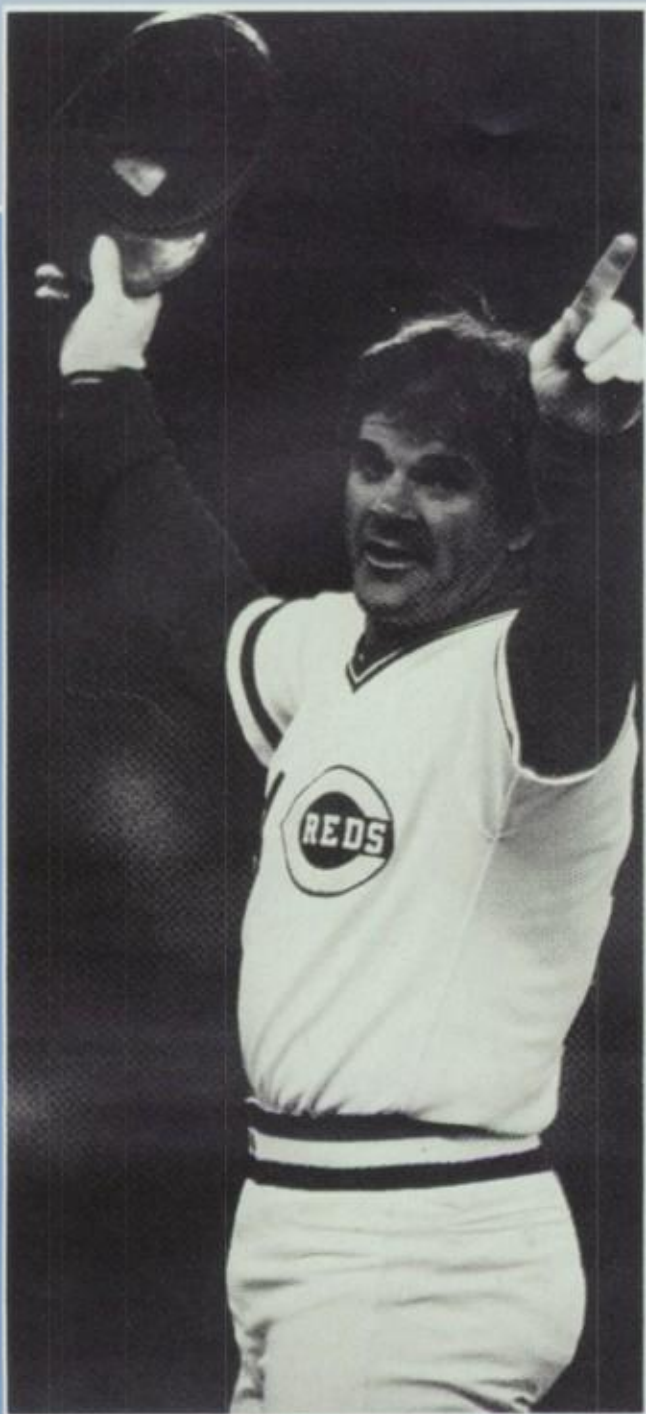
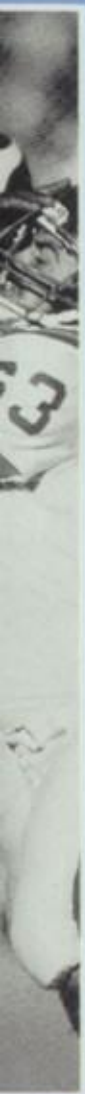


Edmund Halley, an astronomer not afraid of superstition.

Halley's Comet streaking across the sky with its fiery tail flowing behind.

FACES IN THE LIMELIGHT





FLIPPING OVER FADS

Many things seem to come and go. Ladies hats, for instance, were very popular in the 60's, but how many women do you see wearing hats today? Fads do come and go. Today we seem so chic, but tomorrow what we wear or do or say may be entirely out of style.

One are affected greatly by fads is clothes. Stirrup pants; big, loose paisley shirts; miniskirts; big jewelry; and rubber bracelets are in for girls this season. Swatches are very popular too, with many styles and colors. They seem to capture the eye of almost everyone. Boys like suspender pants, six-eyelet shoes, baggy sweaters, blousy shirts, and blue jeans

jackets. Coca-Cola clothes are coming in.

Besides clothes, another fad is talk. Not many people today think that they are hip. They would prefer to be cool. Bogous, nerd, narley, and awesome are only a few of the new words that have been heard during the past year.

Hair style is another thing that can be in style and out very quickly. Different seems to be the fad for hair. Rat tails, short hair for girls, and long hair for boys is in. Mousse is an important factor in hair style, or some kind of gel or cream to take its place.

Fads are fun but flippant. Have fun trying to be cool!



DID YOU KNOW . . . Paisley has been in style twice during the past thirty years.

GOVIES

This past summer St. Stephens was fortunate to be able to send three student to North Carolina Governors School at St. Andrews College in Laurinburg, N.C. The students were **Scott Parrish, Kelly Sigmon, and Toni Throneburg**. All three enjoyed and learned a lot at the governors school. Not only did they learn new things in academics, but also they learned many new things about themselves. All found that governors school was a great challenge, a great place to make new friends, and to have new experiences. For example, Scott now knows how to wash clothes at least a little better. And **Toni** probably will not be climbing out any windows anytime soon. Over all the three students seemed to believe the governors school was a summer well spent, and as **Kelly** said, "... It really makes you change and become a better person."



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The Govies. **Scott Parrish, Kelly Sigmon, and Toni Throneburg.**

CARS

They sit in the parking lot from 8:00 until 3:00 patiently waiting for their students. Some stay longer than others, and each one has its own distinct personality. Occupying an appropriately painted space in the lot, we identify these things as our cars. They come in every imaginable color from red, green, yellow, orange, and rust to black, maroon, and striped. And what is the most popular car out in the parking lot? A quick survey reveals the winner is the Mustang. Trucks, sports cars, bugs, and bombs — St. Stephens has a few of each.



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The Choice of St. Stephens



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The Trusty Truck

SSHS STUDENT



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The Big Bad Bug

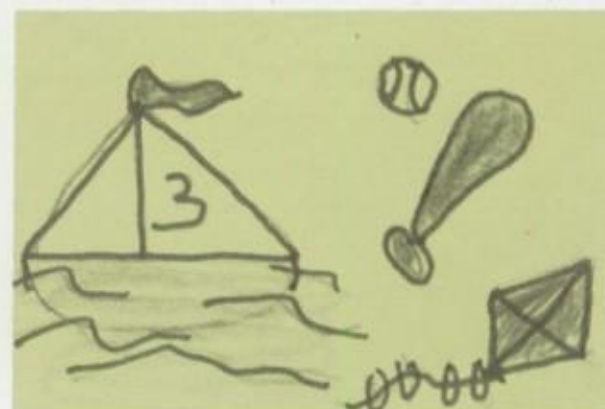
St. Stephens students describe themselves as wild, crazy, and intellectual. There is a variety of students making up the student body. Known for good sportsmanship, caring and concern, involvement, and high spirits, they could be described as crazy, smart, idealistic, and hard-working. From the punks to the bookworms, St. Stephens seems to have its share of each and many in between. Individuality is a key word when you're an SSHS student. It doesn't matter if you are a punk, an athlete, a bookworm, or none of the above, you should be proud of yourself and of your school.

WEEK- ENDS

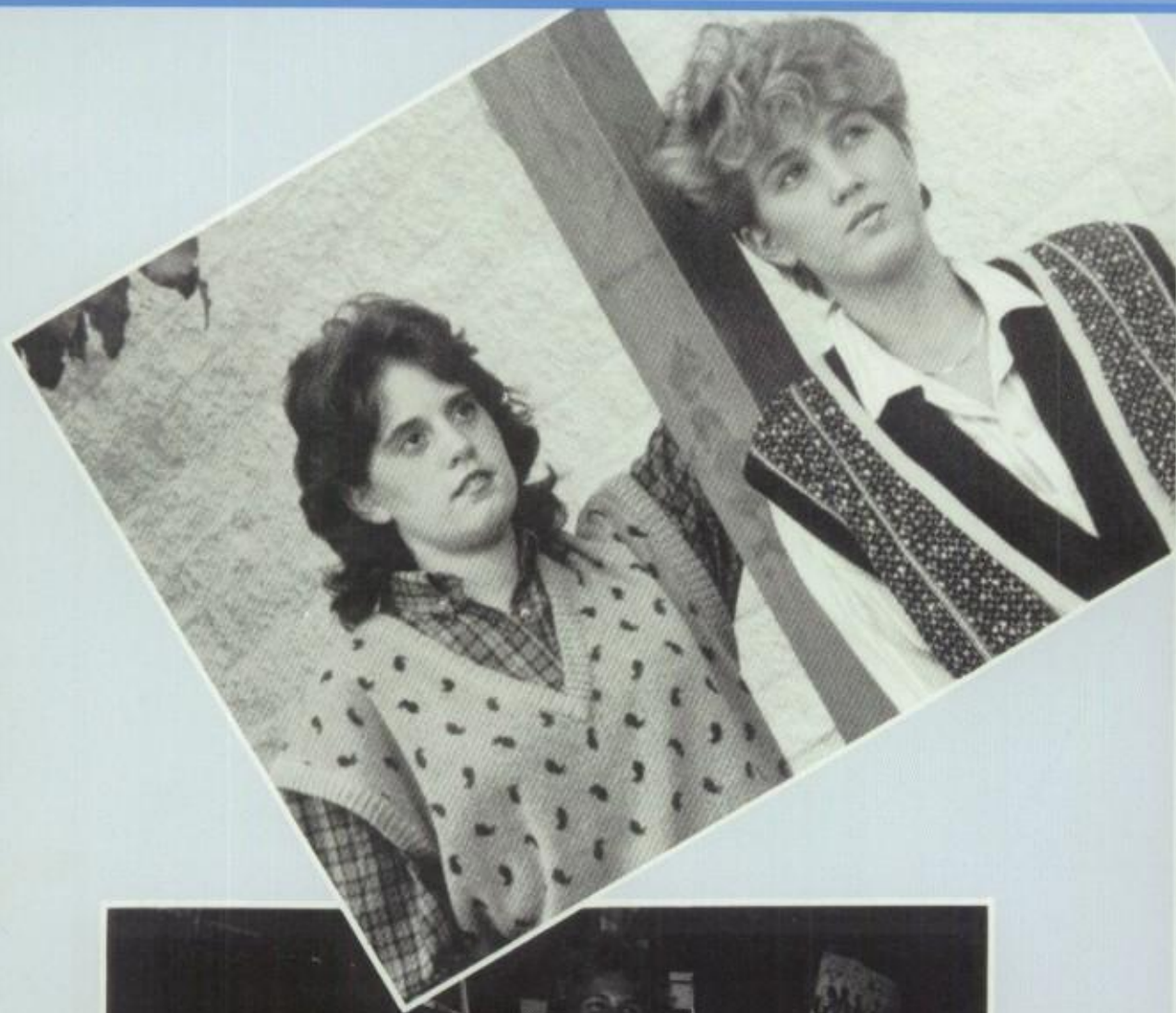
As seasons change, activities do too. People don't usually go swimming in December, but on summer weekends, many people enjoy outdoor activities such as a walk in the park or along a beach, or playing an outdoor game or sport. The pools and lakes beckon for swimming and skiing. Then along comes winter and indoors everyone goes. Now's the time for football, basketball, movies, and going to the

DID YOU KNOW Mustangs were very popular in the '60's and '70's.

mall to play video games or just to walk around and see who is there. With each new season come new activities for the weekends. Enjoy yours!



WE'VE GOT THE LOOK



If it's fashion you're looking for, then look no further than St. Stephens High. With the growth of Hickory and surrounding areas, you no longer have to buy the latest copy of *Vogue* or *GQ* to catch a glimpse of the latest fashions. These styles are displayed and modeled every day by students in class, the halls, assemblies, and the lunchroom.

Fashion this year brought back many popular items from the 1960's. Paisley print proved to be the most successful comeback of the year. Styles ranging from double-breasted suits to Polo sweaters were also popular. Of course, many of these will be 'out' next year, but there is one bright side — bell-bottoms aren't in style again!



THE WAY IT WAS...



Music

The hottest sound in music was American-Mexican pot-pourri by Herb Alpert and the Tijuana Brass. Other popular recording stars included the Beatles, the Rolling Stones, and the Monkees.

Movies

Blockbusters included *Who's Afraid of Virginia Woolf*, *The Sound of Music*, *A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum*, and *The Russians Are Coming*. Top stars were Elizabeth Taylor, Richard Burton, Walter Matthau, Jack Lemmon, and Eva Marie Saint.

Books

Best Sellers: Fiction — *Valley of the Dolls*, by Jacqueline Susann; Non-Fiction — *In Cold Blood*, by Truman Capote.

Looking Back To 1966

Television

Top Rated TV series: ABC's *Rat Patrol*, CBS' *Family Affair*, and NBC's *Occasional Wife*.

IN THE NEWS

On November 9, 1985 the United States received a 'royal' treat when Prince Charles of Wales and Princess Diana arrived in Washington for a three day tour. During their visit, the future King and Queen of England took part in 14 events varying from a private White House dinner to honoring war dead at Arlington National Cemetery. As they departed on November 11 amid smiles, they had conquered the U.S. in only a few days.

Gorbachev held negotiations aimed at peace. Several topics discussed were arms control, star wars, culture, trade and air safety. Formal decisions were made that will resume U.S.-Soviet Union flights by Pan Am and Aeroflot, establish a U.S. consulate in Kiev, and set dates for summits in the next two years.

One of the most important news events of the world occurred this year in Geneva — a summit between the two super-powers. President Reagan and Soviet Premier

"Let's get it together — Buckle Up," became one of many slogans to hit television and magazine advertisements after the N.C. legislature passed a mandatory seat belt law in October, 1985. The law states that all passengers riding in the front seat of a motor vehicle must be buckled in.



Hello Indians. We all spend a big portion of our life at school, but does anyone know why? Do you know what St. Stephens is to you? We get up every morning, spend countless hours at school getting an education then go home at 3:00 with the expectation of repeating the habit and returning the next day. Why? I would like for you to stop and think about it. Sometimes it seems a bit unreal when you have to read that 'dumb book' or learn that ridiculously long formula that you will never use. But, are we being fair?

As a senior, my eyes have slowly been opened to the realization that my time in high school is quickly coming to an end and I am just now realizing what it means. I'm scared — I'm growing up. I will soon be leaving the coveted halls of St. Stephens and entering the real world.

The most important thing to remember is that with all the aspects of high school, during good times and bad, we are continuously growing and becoming what God intends us to be. I hope you appreciate your high school days full of friends and good times, and not take them for granted.

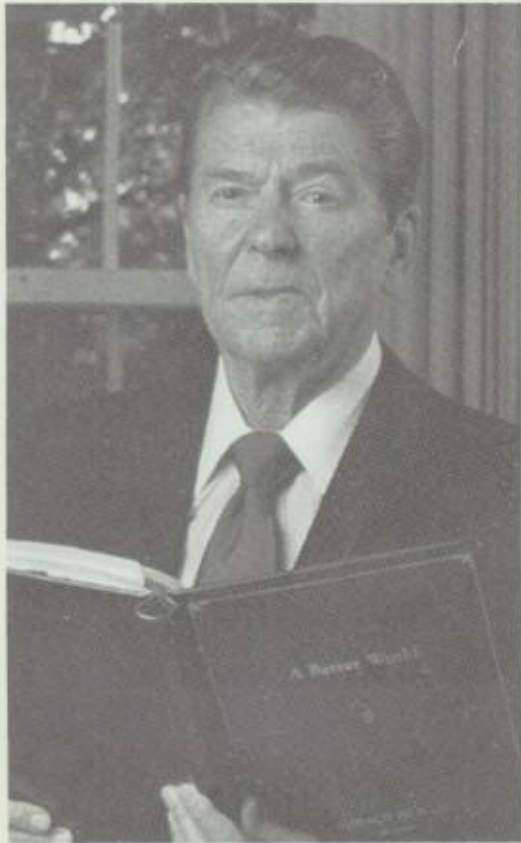
Your President,
Lala Austin

Do you recognize this face? It's Margaret Thatcher? No! It's Queen Elizabeth? No! Here's a hint: She was a teacher at St. Stephens last year. Still haven't guessed? It's **Ms. Bertie Herman. Mr. Jerry Goodnight**, art teacher at St. Stephens, drew this caricature of **Ms. Herman** after her retirement from public school teaching in the spring of 1985.

Ms. Herman had taught at St. Stephens for years. She was honored as teacher of the year at the annual awards ceremony in May, 1985.



Capturing Bertie Herman's favorite expression, "Oh My"



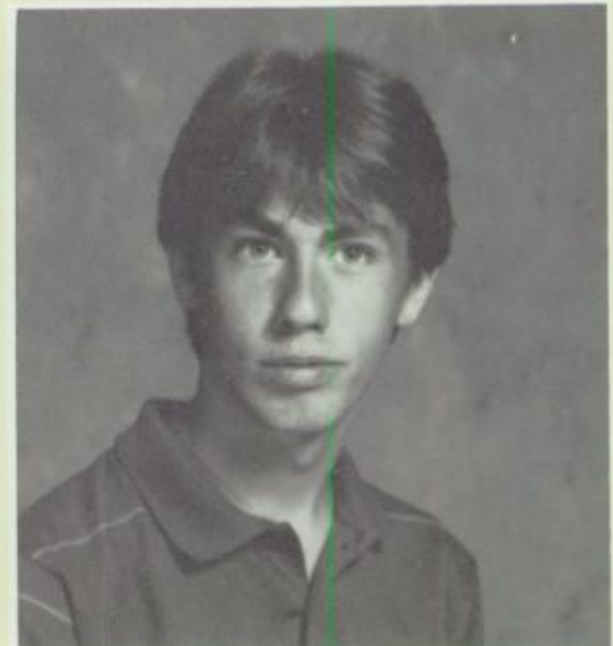
State Juniorette president **Tammie Faulkner.**



DECA state president **Paige Evans.**



Heather Livengood, Vice President of State Student Council



N.C. Scholastic Press Association President **Geoff Belcher.**

As the doors of St. Stephens opened for the 1985-86 school year, a sea of 1200 smiling faces poured into the hallways and classrooms. There was only one 'slight' problem — where to put everyone. Teachers and students outnumbered available space two to one.

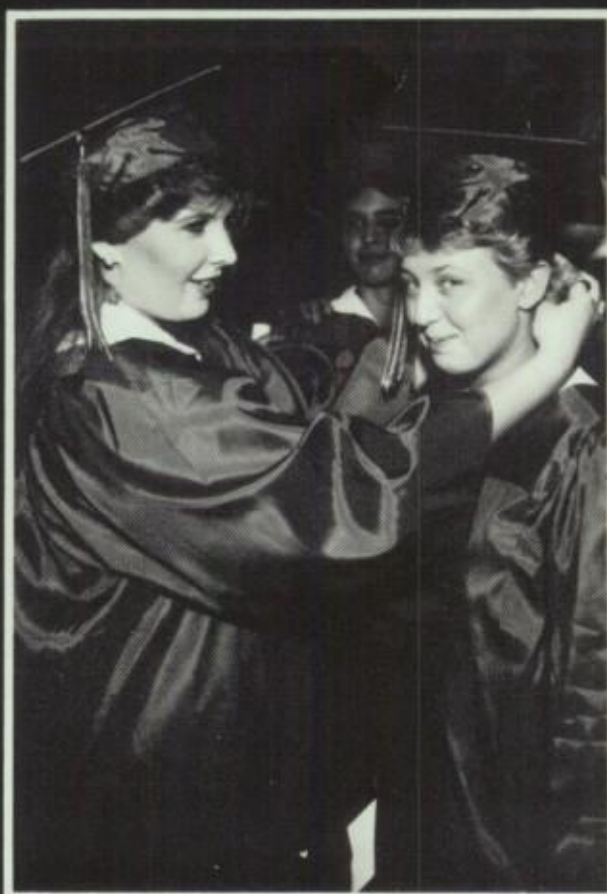
One alternative to the problem was having teachers to move from room to room during planning periods. The second was that the county kindly installed a mobile unit during the summer after voting against addition to the current facility. The new unit housed Mr. Reese's Psychology and Economics classes.



Angelia Duncan helps **Michelle Drum** put on the final touches before graduation.

Lora McDaniel, Stephanie Minton, Michelle Moore, and Amy Pitts look their best for the Miss St. Stephens Pageant.

Mike Ludwig and **Kim Stuart** dance in an Egyptian Paradise.





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Features

A Night Of Beauty

Hundreds of people waited anxiously in the Lenoir Rhyne auditorium for the beginning of the Miss St. Stephens pageant. The lights dimmed, the curtain was raised, and one could see the stage filled with 73 beautiful girls. With great enthusiasm, all the girls danced together to the music of the pageant's theme, "I'm So Excited". Each performed to her utmost in hopes of receiving the title of Miss St. Stephens before the night was through.

Following the dance, each girl was escorted back onto the stage, presented with a flower, and given the opportunity to introduce herself. Then the girls were called back out onto the stage in groups by the emcee, **Steve Beasley**.

After the last group presented themselves on stage, the judges chose the top twenty finalists. Now the theme of the pageant could be seen on the faces of these twenty as each one seemed to say, "I'm so excited."

The audience was supplied with some excellent entertainment while the judges made their decisions on the top ten finalists. Several dance routines by **Hazel Berry's** dancers, some musical performances, including a duet by **Mark White** and **Tiffany Lookadoo** and a comedian, **Shannon Green**, helped the time fly.

The judges made their decisions, and the top ten were announced. After the remaining girls presented themselves and showed off their beautiful attire, it was time for a final decision. The girls waited anxiously for the outcome. The Emcee received an envelope, and as he opened it, one could feel and see the tension in the audience and on the girls' faces. In a few moments they would know the outcome.

Miss Congeniality was **Angie Evans**, second runner up was **Paige Evans**, first runner up was **Donna Lafone** and the new Miss St. Stephens was **Maida Sigmon**.

Following the crowning of the new Miss St. Stephens by the former Miss St. Stephens, **Aundrea Poovey**, Maida Sigmon was presented with roses and several congratulatory hugs from friends. With one last walk down the runway, the new Miss St. Stephens was definitely excited at a dream come true.

Emcee Steve Beasley opens the show, promised to be filled with excitement.

Shannon Rowe pauses momentarily in front of the judges.



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Miss St. Stephens, Maida Sigmon



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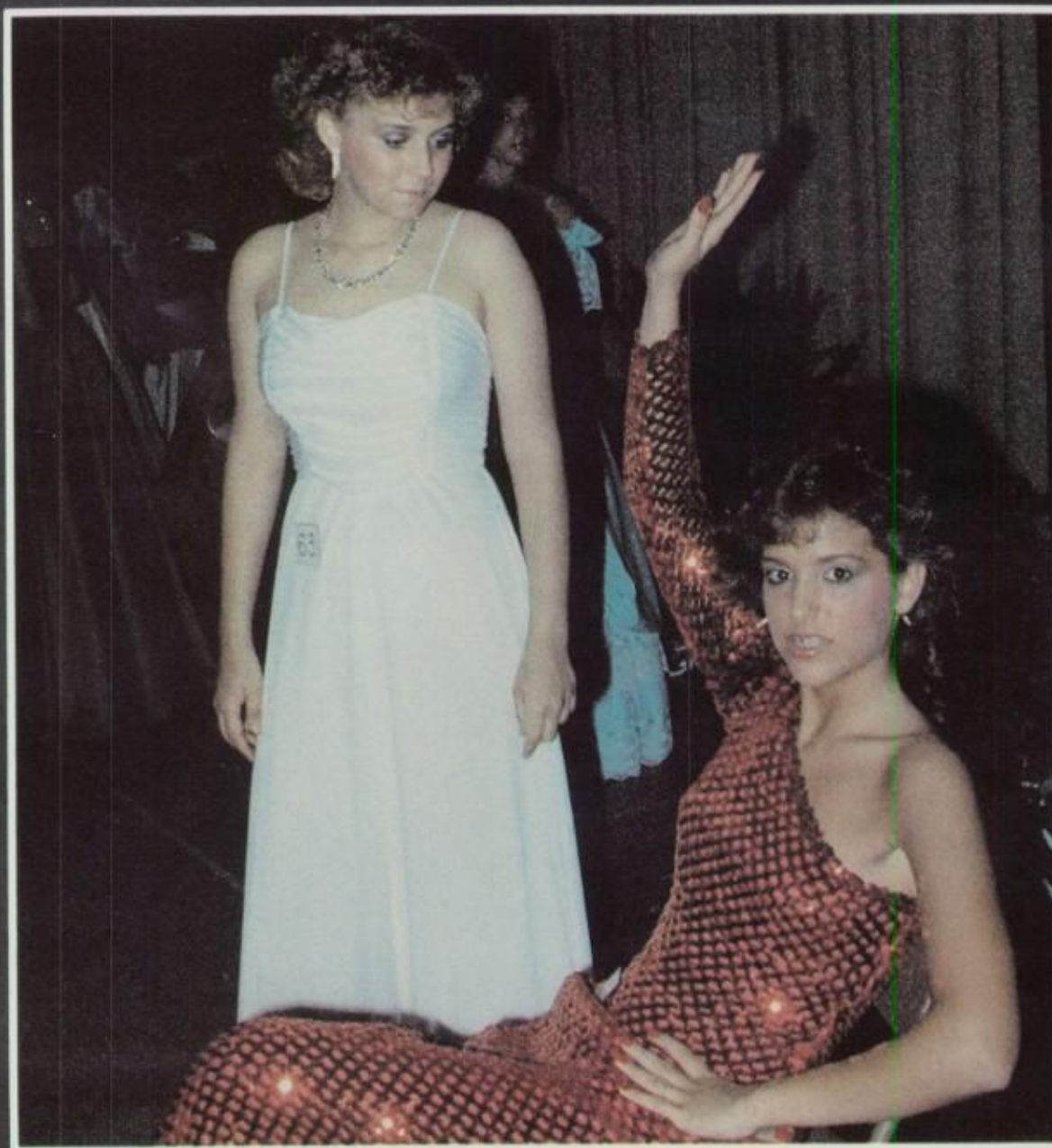
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St. Stephens principal **Ken Throneburg** welcomes the guests and introduces the Emcee.

Julia Streib keeps in step with the other contestants in the opening dance of the pageant.



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Toni Throneburg wonders if **Gina Wright** has all her steps down pat as the girls prepare backstage for the upcoming Miss St. Stephens pageant.

The ladies, smiling prettily, line up in hopes of becoming Miss St. Stephens after the judges rate them.

"I'm So Excited"

Kristen Zimmerman, Gina Wright, Lisa Weaver, and Lisa Zimmerman all agree, "we're so excited!"

A sneak preview into the girls dressing room promises good things to come.

Backstage, some contestants practice their smiles.



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The lucky escorts are **Kevin Benfield, Steven Hall, Kurtis Kilgore, Walt Scharer, Mike Isenhour, and Bryan Spencer.**

Mark White and **Tiffany Lookadoo** provide musical entertainment.

First runner up, **Donna Lafone**, anxiously awaits the judges' final decision.



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'Ladies' Night To Shine



Tommy and **Robbie** show off their legs; how about you, **Ruffin**?

"May I cut in, **Kyle**?" **Mr. Berry** congratulates his son.

A hush fell over the gym as the twelve finalists were named. And then came the big moment ... who would get to hold the title of Mr. St. Stephens?

On Wednesday, April 10, the Mr. St. Stephens Pageant was held in the school gym. The pageant was sponsored by the Juniors and had as its theme, "Baby I'm a Star."

The crowd cheered as the 25 curvaceous contestants came on stage, first in their street clothes and later returning transformed into ravishing beauties.

Robbie Redden, also known as **Scarlette**, was named Mr. Congeniality. Then, **Kyle Berry** and **Tim Aaron** were chosen as second and first runners-up, respectively. Finally, after the big moment arrived, freshman **Andrew Peterson** was crowned Mr. St. Stephens for 1985-86.

The evening ended with **Andrew** taking his walk down the runway.

The crowd enjoys watching these ravishing beauties!



"My secret? Wheat germ three times a day," smirks winner **Andrew Peterson**.

And the winner is ...

An Egyptian Paradise

A warm wind blew through the desert sands. Overhead, the moon shone like a pearl set in black velvet. One could almost see Cleopatra walking toward him adorned for her audience. An Egyptian Paradise? Yes. In Egypt? No, in the St. Stephens gymnasium.

Changing an ordinary gymnasium into an "Egyptian Paradise" wasn't a very easy thing to do. It took many long hours of hard work until the gymnasium's transformation was complete. The exquisite decorations set the mood as soon as the students walked in the door. Of course, the Egyptian dress of the waiters and waitresses helped add even more sparkle to the setting.

Five girls spent part of the evening in suspense. One of them would be crowned prom queen, and all of them knew it. In the end, of the five, **Tiffany Lafone, Shawna Harris, Margaret Frank, Beth Frank, and Dana Reece**, **Tiffani Lafone** emerged as the winner. From there, everyone relaxed and enjoyed the music, which was provided by the band, **Dazzle**.

Todd Huffman and his date take a break between dances.

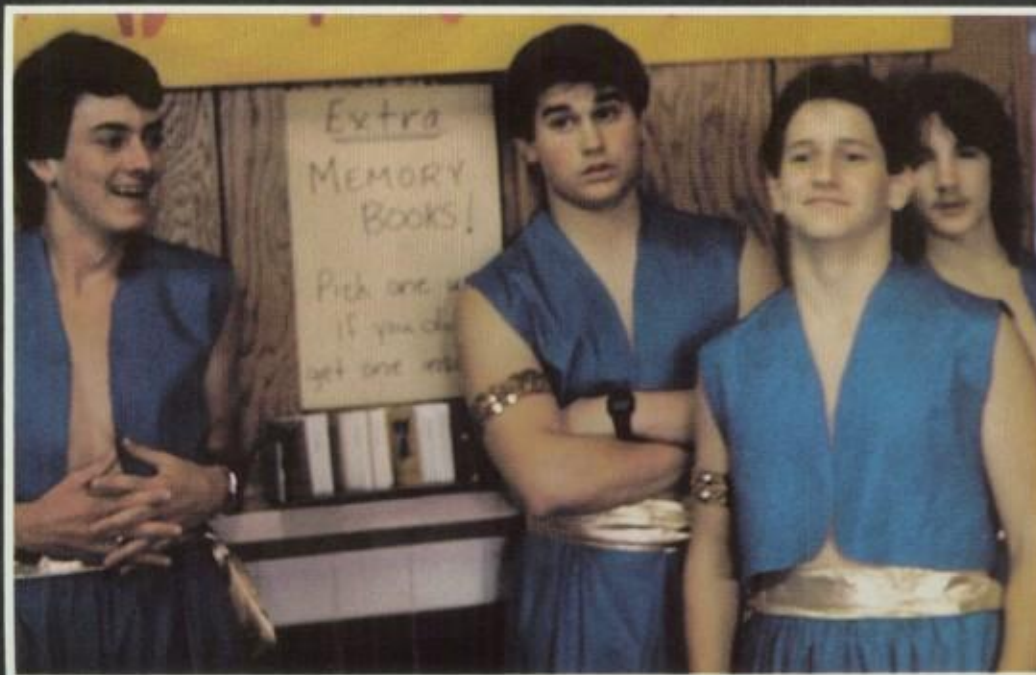
Prom Court: **Shawna Harris, Dana Reece, Beth Frank, and Margaret Frank.**



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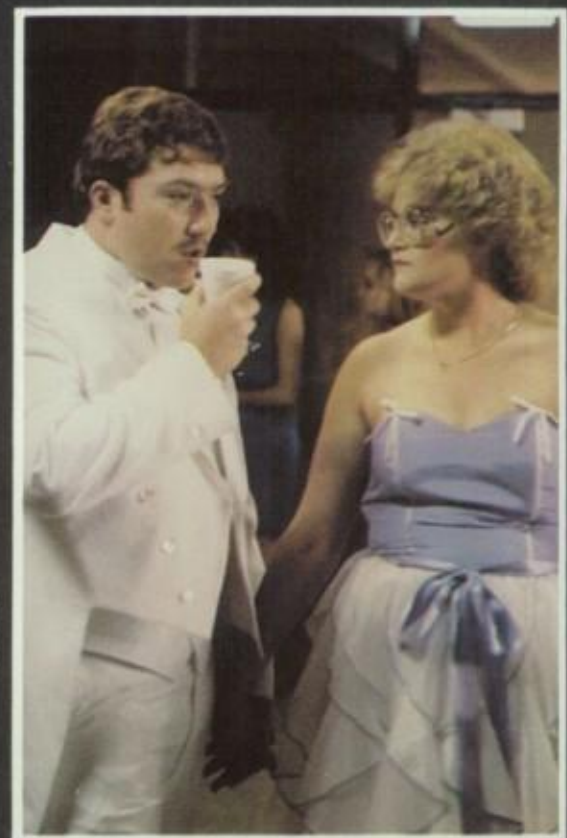
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Steven Hollar, Walt Scharer, Stephen Hall and Chris Whitson take a needed break.

"So why didn't you get me some punch?" asks **Sonya Starnes** of her date, **Mike**.



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"Are we having fun yet?", Says **Darren Allen** and **Derrick Matlock**

Sharon Spencer goes to the prom in style as she is helped out of a limousine



T. St. Clair



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Congratulations, Tiffany", says junior **Toni Thronburg** to the suprised prom queen, **Tiffani Lafone**.

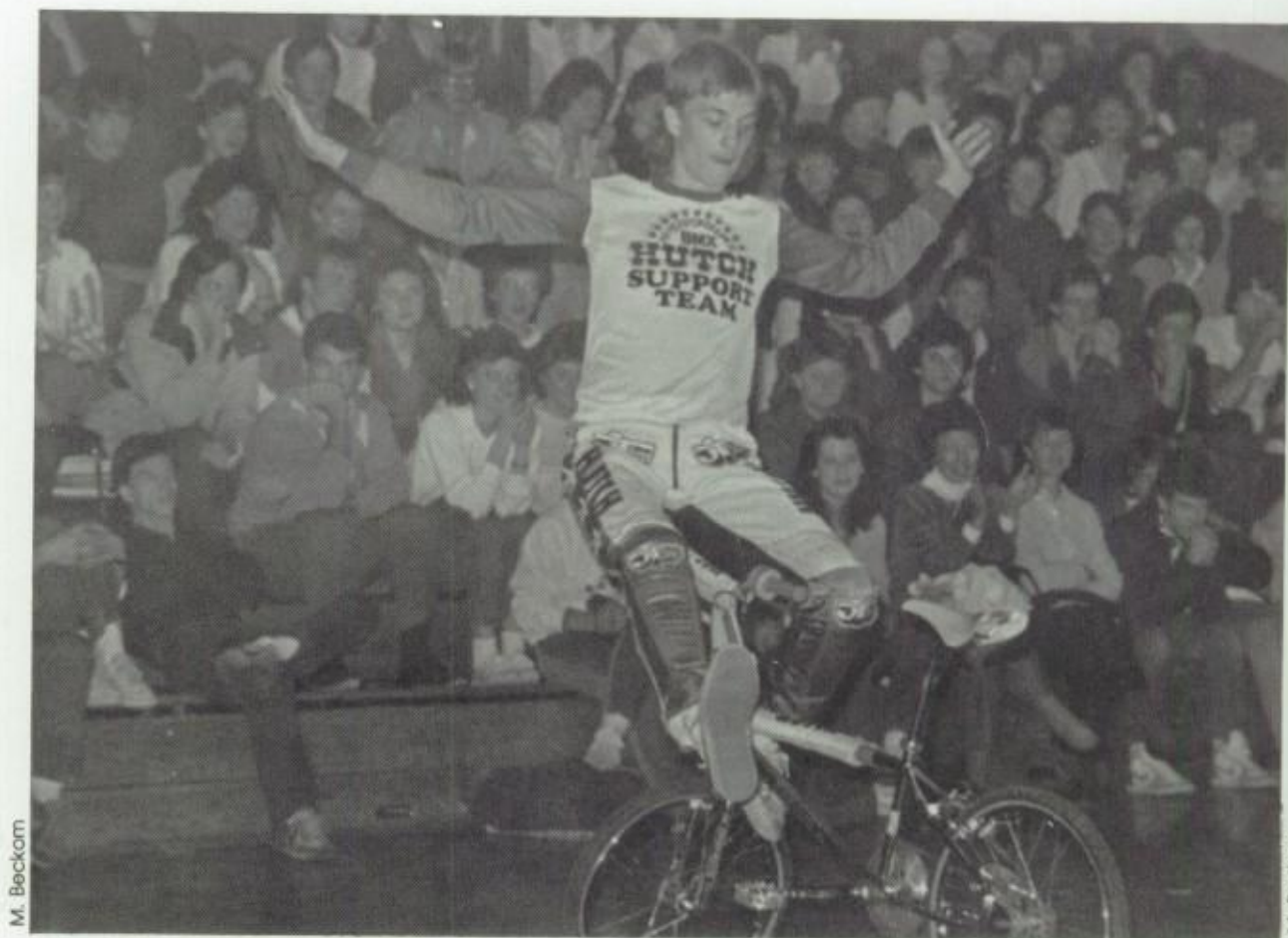
Waiters and Waitresses

First row: **J. Propst**, **S. Rowe** (Head Waitress), **T. Evans**, **G. Wright**, **K. Day**, **C. Kirby**, **K. Mosteller**, **M. Clampitt**, **K. Weaver**, **A. Triplett**. Second row: **S. Lail**, **E. Sain** (Head Waiter), **T. Warlick**, **M. Amstutz**, **S. Yount**, **W. Scharer**, **M. Setzer**, **S. Hollar**, **C. Whitson**, **S. Hall**.

Winter Fest Excitement

On Friday, January 24, St. Stephens held its annual Christmas assembly in the gymnasium . . . But wait. You ask, "Christmas Assembly in January?" The answer, a simple yes and no. The assembly, originally scheduled for December 21, was postponed when inclement weather forced many students, including assembly participants, to be absent. The assembly was then re-scheduled and re-named Winter Fest.

Acts included the Chorus singing two Alleluia selections, a jazz dance by **Crystal Kirby**, a cheerleader performance, and the Indianettes dancing. **Mark White** and **Tiffany Lookadoo** entertained with "It Was Almost Like a Song," **Charlie Houser** performed bicycle stunts, and **Hope Marshall** gave her baton routine. **Dana Hathcock** sang "My Father's Eyes" and **Heather Hines** sang "Memories."



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Charlie Houser displays great skill by balancing on the handle bars of his bicycle.

Varsity Cheerleaders, ranked 17th in the nation, perform their winning cheers.

Mark White woos the crowd with "It Was Almost Like a Song."



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Hope Marshall dazzles the audience with a baton ribbon display.



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Mr. T. Carpenter announces the next act.

Crystal Kirby interprets a jazz through an original dance.

Members of the chorus sing several collections as their part of winter fest.

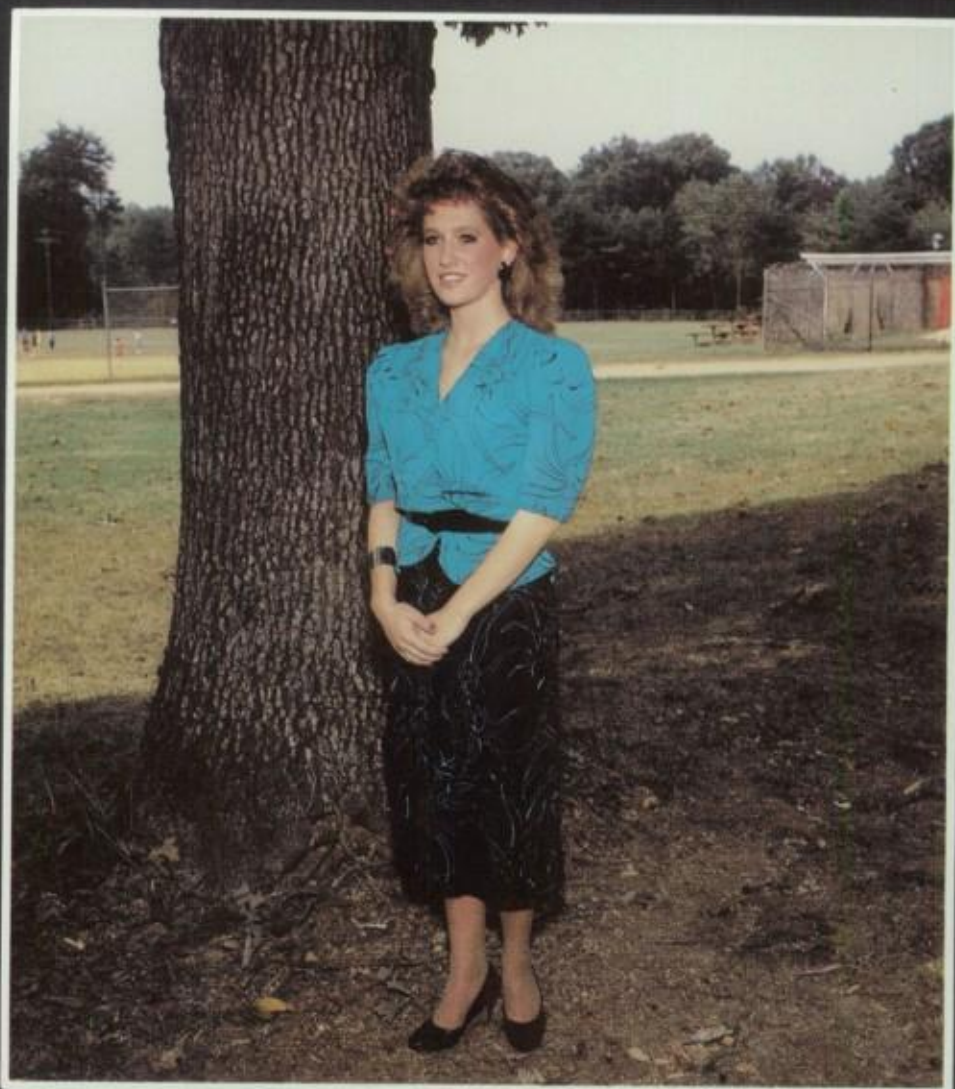
Heather Hines pleases the crowd with "Memories" from *Cats*.

Homecoming Court 1985



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Donna Lafone



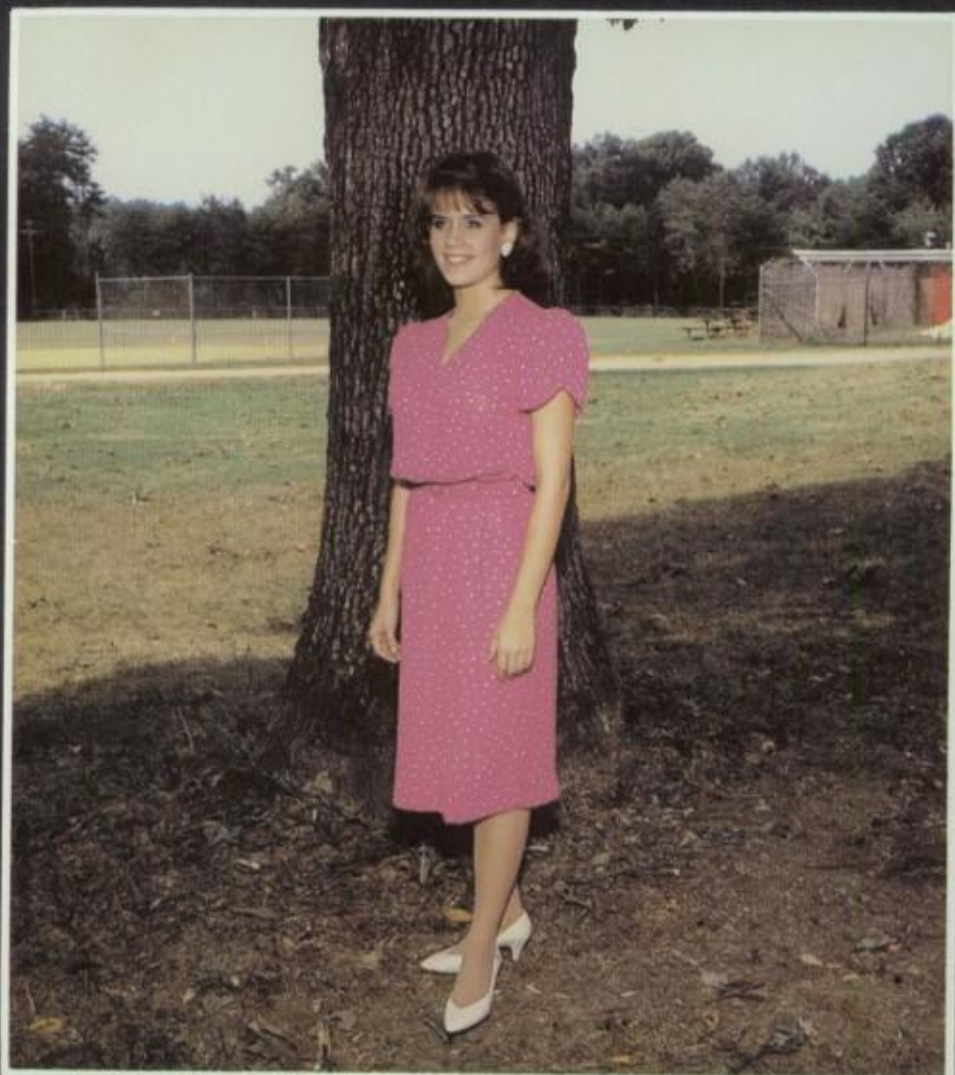
H. Lockett

Paige Evans



H. Lockett

Aundrea Poovey



H. Lockett

Heather Livengood



Juniors — **Susan Killian**
Gina Wright

H. Lackey

One of the most exciting times of the school year came in the fall. When football season was underway and everyone had adjusted to their new school routine, everyone knew that Homecoming was not far away.

Although Homecoming only lasted one short week, much planning had to be made beforehand. There were themes to be decided, mascots to be chosen, and girls to be voted on for Homecoming Court.

For the 1985 Homecoming Court, the Senior Class selected **Aundrea Poovey, Paige Evans, Donna Lafone, and Heather Livengood.** The Juniors voted on **Susan Killian** and **Gina Wright** to represent them. **Melanie Queen** and **Lana Walsh** were chosen by the sophomores, and the freshmen picked **Julia Troutman** and **Jennifer Angelica.**

Homecoming brought many joyful and memorable events. For one certain girl, that happiness would come when she heard her name announced as Homecoming Queen, 1985.



Sophomores — **Lana Walsh**
Melanie Queen

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Freshmen — **Julia Troutman**
Jennifer Angelica

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"Lovin' Every Minute Of It"



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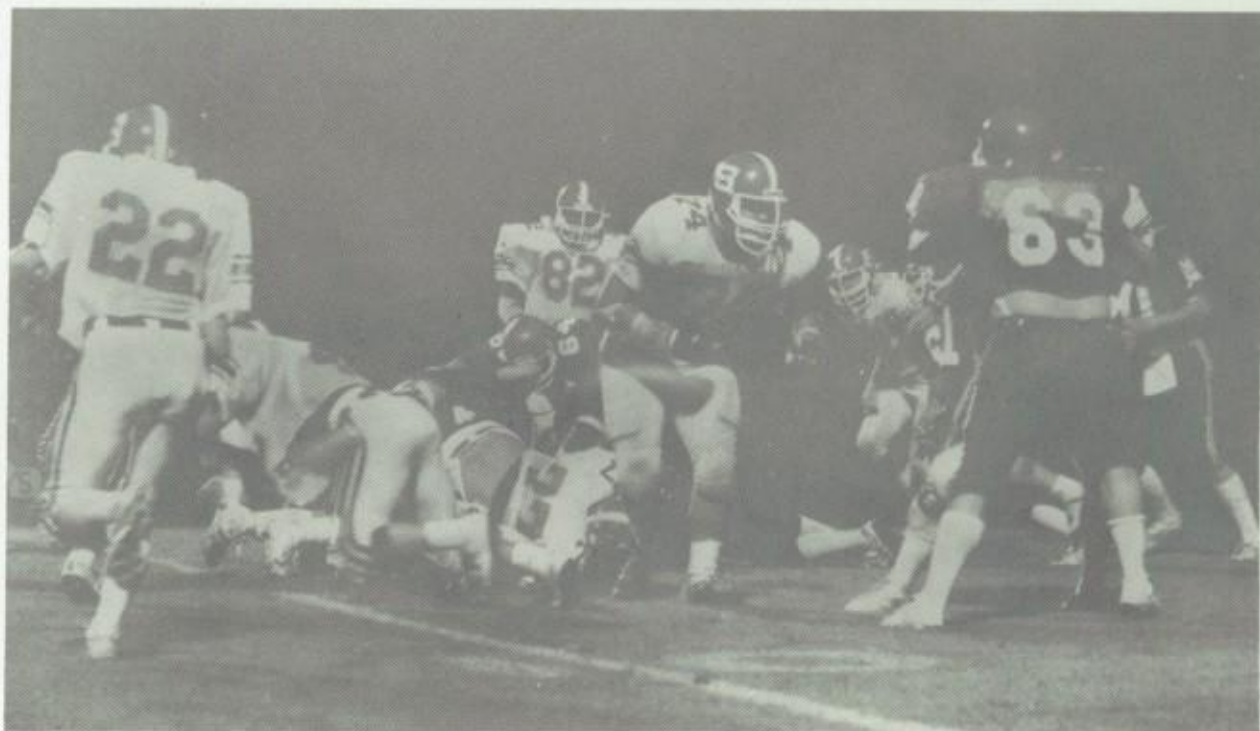
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Friends gather to watch the victorious Indians.

Gary and **Savannah Mitchell** await the announcement of Homecoming Queen.

The Indian players work hard to earn a decisive victory.

Susan Killian, escorted by **Andy Kirby**, represented the junior class.



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Gina Wright, also voted on by the juniors, was escorted by **Kirk Morrow**.

St. Stephens was "Lovin' Every Minute Of It!" as they watched their football team roll over visiting Lincolnton for a Homecoming victory.

What's Homecoming without the traditional festivities at half-time? Just another Friday night football game.

The Homecoming float, banners, band performances, cheers, Homecoming Court, and lots of fun and good times all emerged during half-time activities.

Everyone looked forward to these festivities, especially those girls with hopes of becoming the Homecoming Queen. Only one girl could be chosen, and that was **Donna Lafone**.

School spirit shone throughout Homecoming week. Students participated in activities designated for certain days.

You have heard people say, "Don't sweat it!" That was not the case on Monday, October 14th, as students wore their "sweat attire" in honor of "Make 'em Sweat Day!"

What better way to get a home-room "fired up" than to display their spirit on a door banner. Wednesday the banners were judged and a winner was chosen.

The "heat" was "on" Thursday as students were "fired-up" with a little help from red-hot fireball candy.

Friday rolled around and all that bottled-up excitement was released at the sound of each bell as everyone yelled a cheer for SSHS.

At the annual Homecoming pep rally, everyone came together, forming a sea of red and white, enthusiastically expressing their hopes for a Homecoming victory.



Homecoming Queen — Donna Lafone

Tomorrow Begins Tonight

Valedictorian **Lorraine Lee** gives her farewell speech to graduates and parents as Assistant Principals **Gerald Bowman** and **Jennifer Moore** look on.

We finally made it. A friend gives **Tammy Williams** a congratulatory hug before commencement.

The arrival of spring brought a flurry of excitement to the 1985 senior class. The halls buzzed with talk of the prom, college acceptances, yearbooks and that final step toward life — graduation.

Seniors were busy addressing and mailing invitations, exchanging name cards, and modeling graduation robes.

As graduation neared on the calendar, seniors were dismissed from school a week earlier than underclassmen. However, they found that their extra week of vacation was not all fun and games. Countless hours were spent in the sweltering heat of the gymnasium preparing for graduation exercises.

Finally, graduation night arrived. A sea of smiling faces surrounded by bright red caps and gowns filled the courtyard of P.E. Monroe Auditorium. Friends and parents scurried about an already packed building trying to find their seats.

At 7:30 p.m., the Grand Processional marked the beginning of the commencement exercises. The welcoming address and the sermon followed. The slide presentation gave seniors time to reflect on the past four years. In all, 248 seniors proudly walked across stage and received their diplomas.

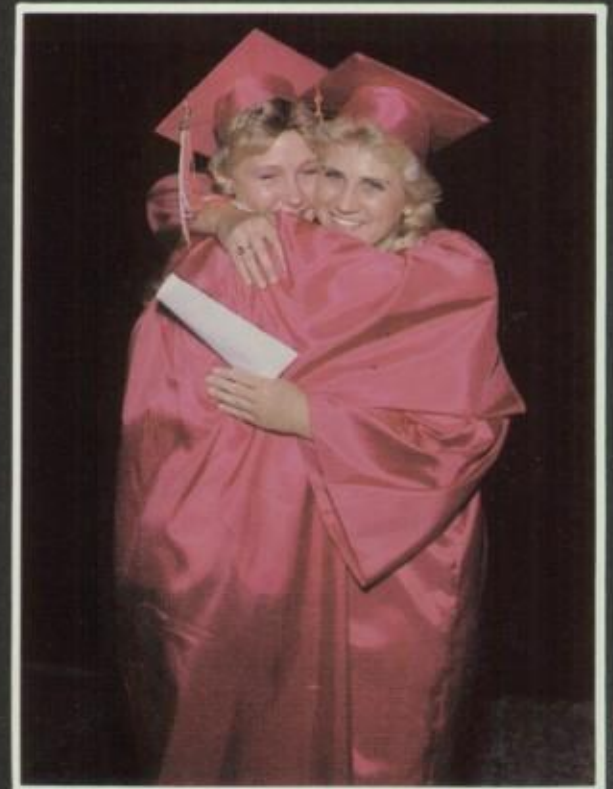
Then came the official sign of graduation — the changing of the tassel from left to right. Afterwards, valedictorian **Lorraine Lee** closed the ceremony with her farewell address.

Beth and **Margaret Frank** look to the future with smiles.

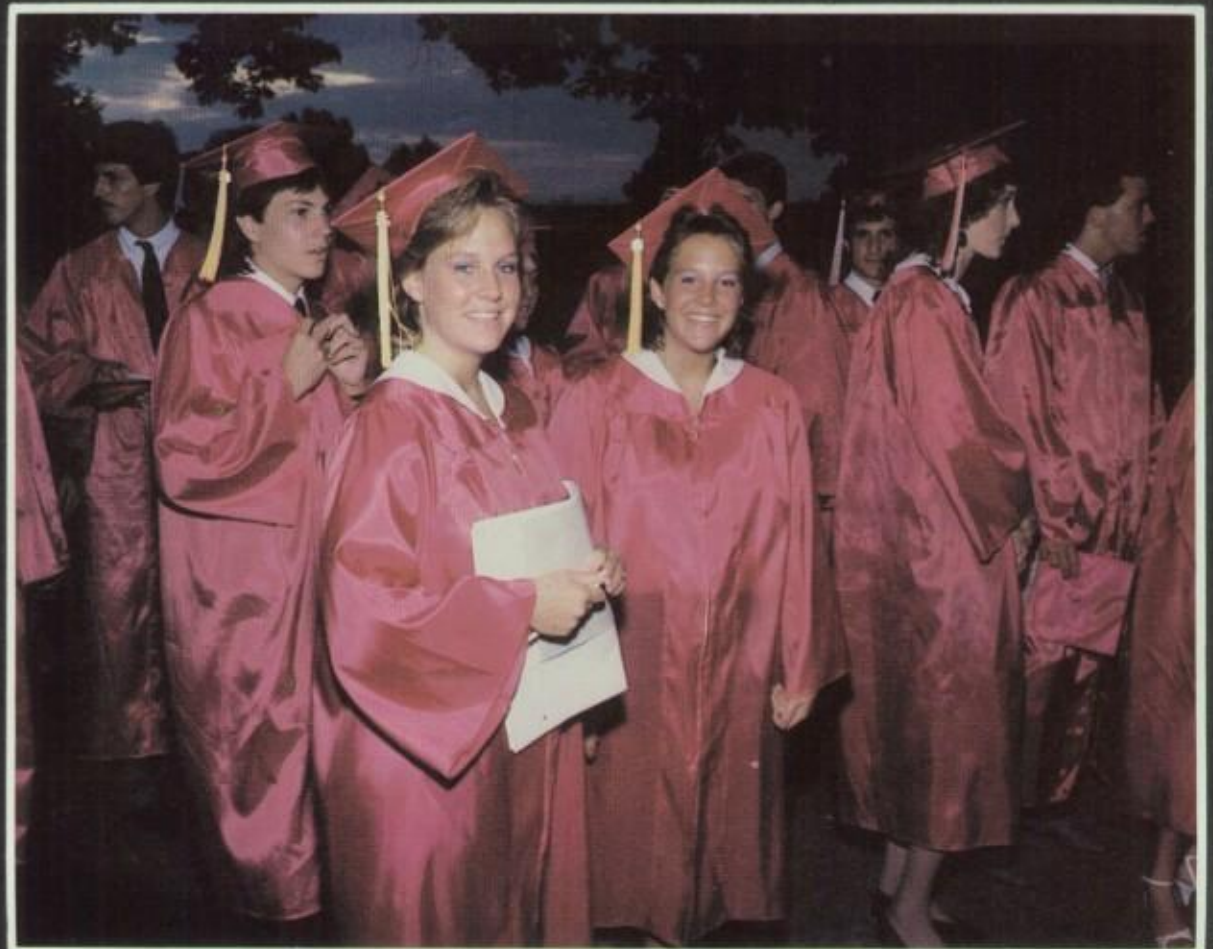
1985 Junior Marshalls: **Joey Saulnier**, **Wendy Propst**, **Toni Throneburg**, **Mary Beckom**, **Tiffany Lookadoo**, **Kelly Price**, **Mari Rockett**, **Deldra Sigmon**, **Vanessa McPherson**, **Robbie Redden**, **Joy Sigmon**, and **Sonya Starnes**. Not pictured: **Matt Kirby**.



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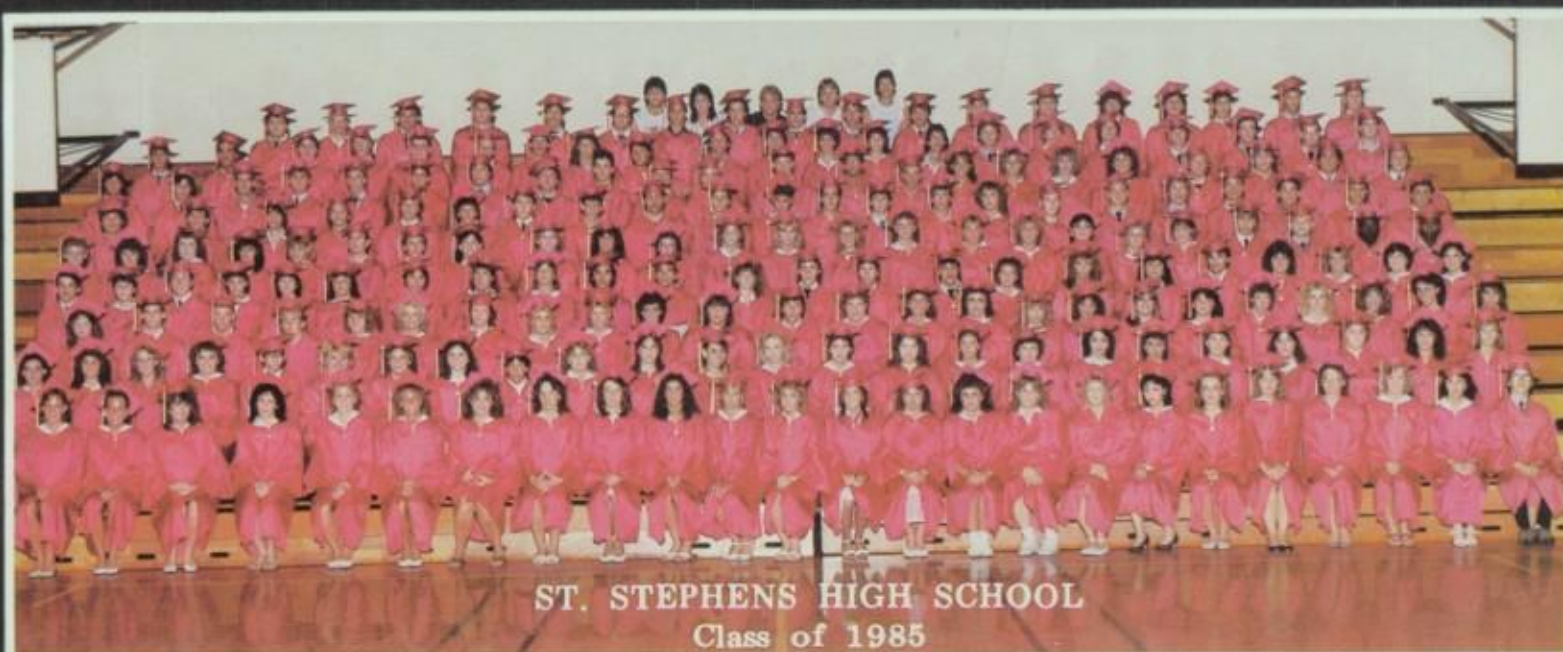
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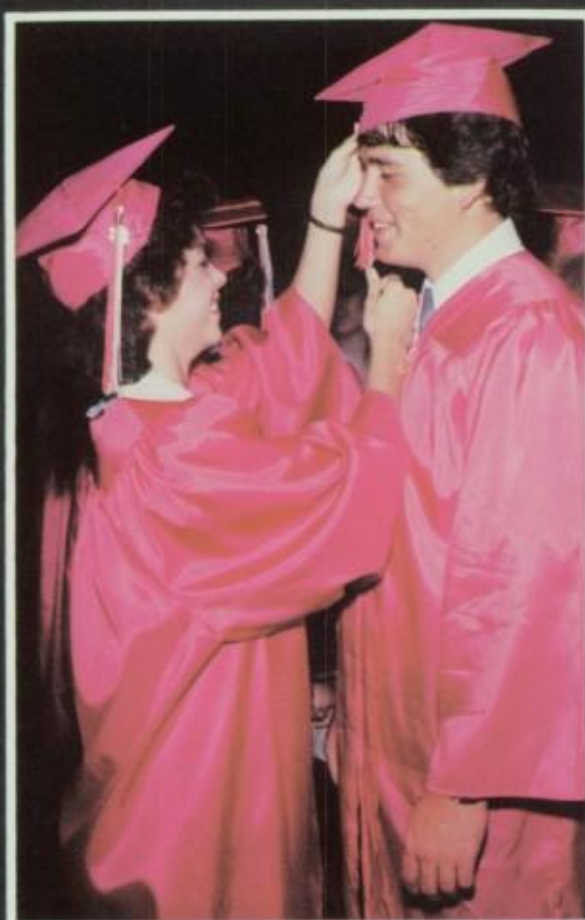


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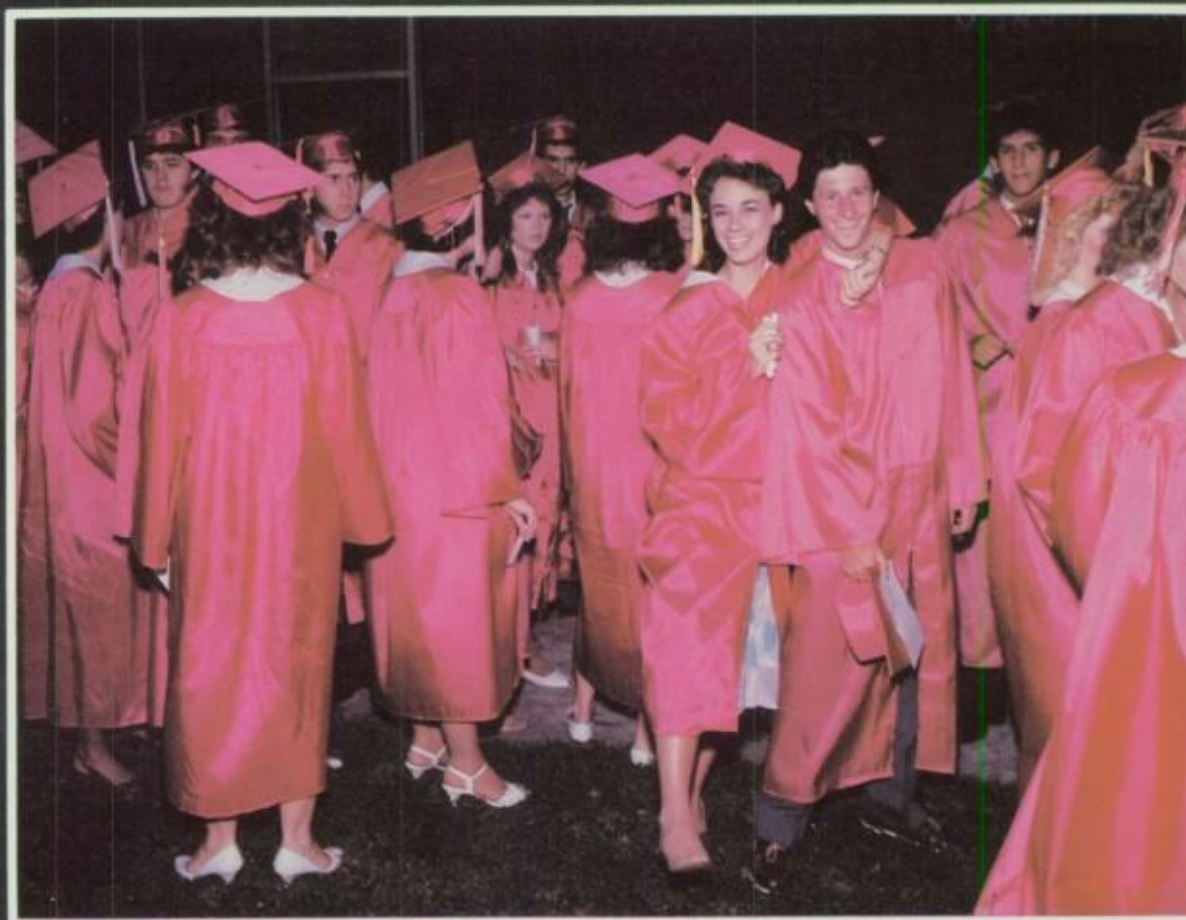


ST. STEPHENS HIGH SCHOOL
Class of 1985

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"I'm telling you for the last time, the tassel goes on the left side before you graduate," says **Chaelese Brendle** to **Fred Reece**.

The expressions of the Class of 1985 reflect joy and achievement as well as a hint of sadness.

"Now watch this." Graduate **Mike Gamble** shows **Anna Houston** and **Annette Church** the proper method for putting on a graduation cap.

Ken Throneburg, principal, smiles as he hands out one of many diplomas.

Amy Pope concentrates on the return.

The Cross-Country team eagerly awaits the starting of the race.

Mike Ludwig putts for a birdie.



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Sports

Soccer



Rodney Miller prepares to kick the ball.

All-Conference star **Khanty Dara** shows correct form for kicking the ball.



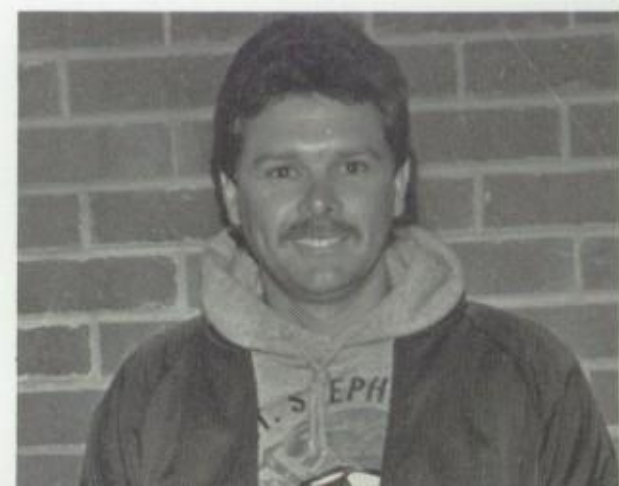
T. St. Clair



Kevin McCloy, Carey Annas, Martin Campbell, Nathan Cline, Daryl Page, Phillip Bunton — Captain, Jennifer Jones, Scott Parrish, Charlie Houser, Scott Abbott, Andy Houston, David Walker, Joe Bane, Mike Rollins, Kelly Hefner, Shane Motley, Zack Guthrie, Jay Benton, Ricky Rudisill, Rodney Miller, Dorian Kuropas, Michael Orman, **Coach Dean Hamrick**, Brandon Michaels, David Smith, Sung Min Kim, Adrian Kuropas, Khanty Dara, Matt Hutchinson.

SSHS 3	WEST IREDELL	5
SSHS 2	WEST IREDELL	3
SSHS 3	EAST BURKE	8
SSHS 0	EAST BURKE	7
SSHS 10	WEST CALDWELL	8
SSHS 2	HIBRITEN	6
SSHS 8	BURNS	5
SSHS 0	SHELBY	8
SSHS 5	WEST CALDWELL	2
SSHS 0	HIBRITEN	10
SSHS 1	HICKORY	10
SSHS 6	BURNS	2
SSHS 1	SHELBY	9

Coach: **Dean Hamrick**





J. Dougherty

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"Young" seemed to both an advantage and a disadvantage to this season's two year old soccer team here at St. Stephens High during the 1985 year.

"The players kept a good, winning attitude throughout the season," said Coach **Dean Hamrick**. This year's outstanding team members were, for the freshman class, **Khanty Dara**, sophomores, **Scott Abbott** and **Rodney Miller**, **Rodney King**, a junior, and for the seniors, were the three captains, **Phillip Bunton**, **Jennifer Jones**, and **Scott Parrish**.

Coach Hamrick has kept a positive outlook for next year's season. The team will be losing five seniors, but that makes room for the up-and-coming outstanding players for next year.

Khanty Dara, received the most valuable offensive player award. Goalie, **Kevin McCloy**, was given the Team-Before-Self award. **Scott Parrish** received two awards, one being the Most Valuable Defensive Player and the other an award given to him by the United States Army for his athletic and academic achievements — the Class of 1986 Soccer MVP Award.

Eric Robinson, **Khanty Dara**, and **Adrian Kuropas** race to the ball.

Freshman, **Khanty Dara**, and sophomore, **Eric Robinson** seem to be having a slight problem.

Team captain, **Phillip Bunton**, takes a break.

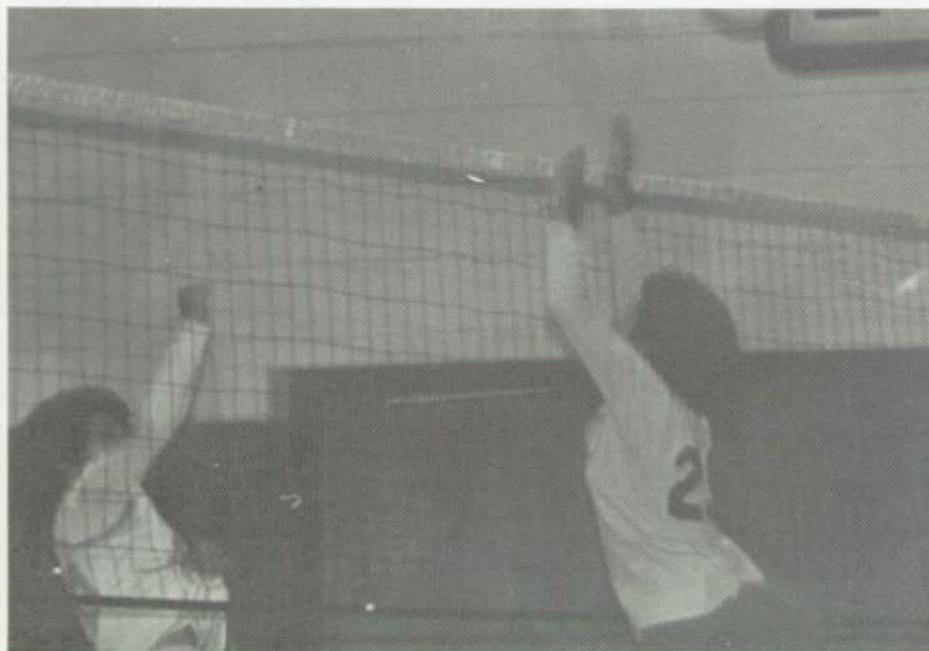
JV Volleyball

Finishing the year with a nineteen and six record, the junior varsity volleyball team proved that hard work and dedication do in fact pay off. They showed that trying your best does improve yourself as well as the performance of the team. Not only did they do their best during matches, but during practice as well. They helped each other with the problems that confronted them. They indeed showed what a team is. After their own game was over they stayed to help cheer on the varsity team.

Amy Reed as captain showed the fine art of being in charge and not letting it go to one's head. She was in control all of the time, not just when the team was doing well, but during

the tough games as well. **Amy** was quoted as saying, "I do my best for my team not for my self."

The JV team displayed an eagerness to learn from the varsity team as well as from Coach **Sally Bradshaw**. Teamwork with the varsity and the JV team was an important factor with both teams. **Coach Bradshaw** showed us that the saying "No pain, no gain" does indeed hold true. The practices were not easy by any means — running, hitting, more running followed by bumping, spiking and setting drills. If you liked to work hard and sweat a lot, the girls JV volleyball team is what you should go out for next year.



Trina Propst tries to block the volleyball.



Amy Reed sets the ball.

Leslie Huffman gives the ball a hit.

SSHS	2-1	Statesville
SSHS	2-0	West Lincoln
SSHS	2-0	West Lincoln
SSHS	2-1	West Caldwell
SSHS	2-0	Hibriten
SSHS	1-2	Lincolnton
SSHS	2-0	West Caldwell
SSHS	2-1	Hibriten
SSHS	2-1	Lincolnton



Jennifer White and **Trina** wait for the serve.



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Michelle Camp bumps the ball over the net.

Trina Propst puts the ball past an opponent.



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Sally Bradshaw
JV Volleyball Coach



Jill Baker, Michelle Camp, Melinda Deal, Leslie Huffman, Amy LaFone, DeeDee Lunsford, Kathie Ormand, Trina Propst, Amy Reed, Stephanie Sherrill, Christle Teague, Jennifer White, Coach Bradshaw

Varsity Volleyball

The Varsity Volleyball team again proved that they were indeed winners. After winning a major tournament at East Gaston, they proved it was no mistake that skill, not luck, led this team to the State Finals.

Led by captain **Mary Beckom** and co-captain **Lisa Zimmerman**, the Lady Indians had a final record of twenty wins and seven loses. Each time the players went onto the volleyball court, they went on with confidence and school pride. They continued the tradition of excellence here at

St. Stephens. We should be proud to have had such a fine volleyball team to represent us.

As the season progressed the crowds of spectators also grew. Not only did the parents of the players but the principals, teachers, and students of St. Stephens came to see our winning girls' volleyball team. Let's hope that next year there will be even more fans to cheer them on.

Another honor bestowed on the team was having four of the players to make All-Conference. They were

Mary Beckom, Lisa Zimmerman, Melinda Clampitt, and Sharon Hathcock. These four demonstrated excellent form and precision.

Although the team was eliminated in the first round of the State Finals, they proved that they were a very intense team by winning at East Gaston. They beat West Charlotte and South Mecklenburg.

All we can hope is that the team will do as well or even better next year. Keep up the fine job and thanks for the great performance.



Mary Beckom smashes the ball over the net.



Linda King backs up **Sharon Hathcock**.

SSHS	2-1	Statesville Sr. High
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SSHS	2-1	Hibriten
SSHS	2-0	Lincolnton
SSHS	2-0	West Caldwell
SSHS	2-0	Hibriten
SSHS	2-0	Lincolnton
SSHS	0-3	State Play-Offs begin



Denise Huffman waits for the opponent's serve.



Lisa puts the ball past an opponent.

Melinda bumps the ball up.

Team meeting, so listen up.



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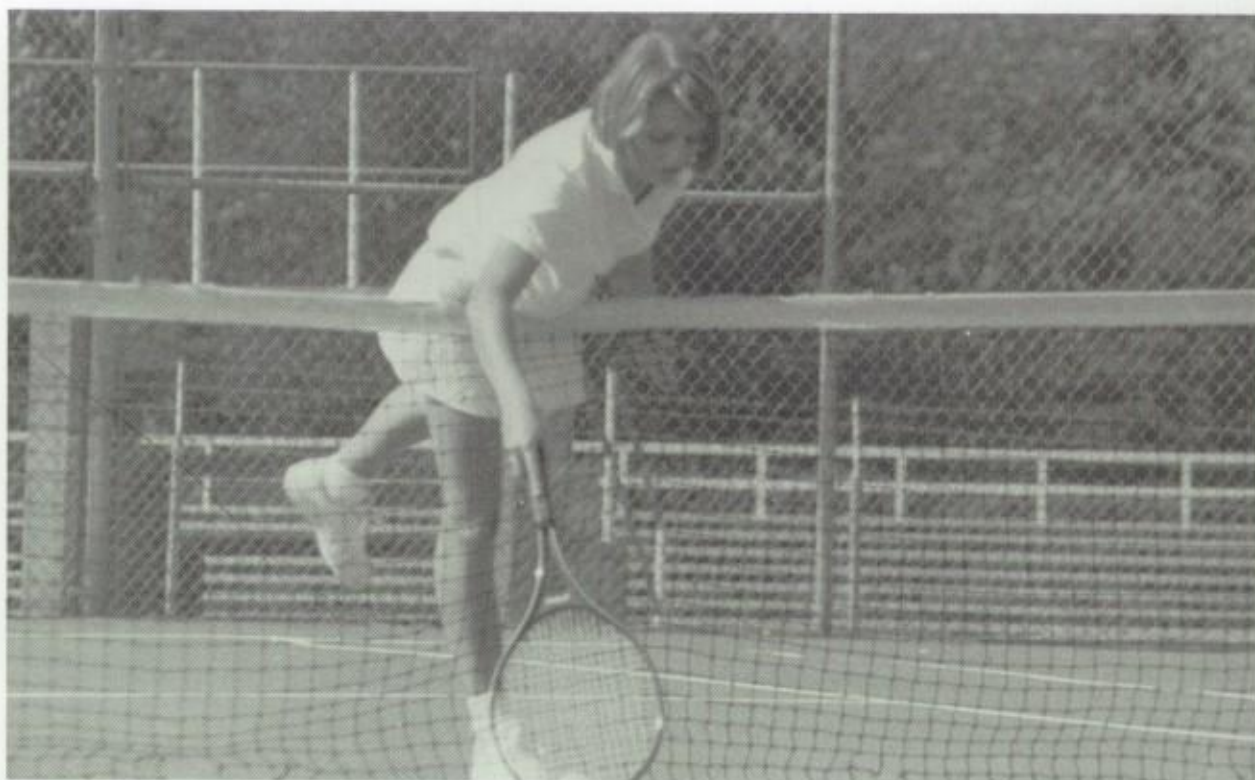
First row: **Sharon Hathcock, Leigh Woods, Diana Granger, Angie Teague.** Second row: **Teresa Haas, Gina Wright, Linda King, Coach Sally Bradshaw, Denise Huffman, Telitha Evans, Melinda Clampitt.** Top: Co-captains — **Lisa Zimmerman, and Mary Beckom.**

Angie Teague sets the ball up for a spike.

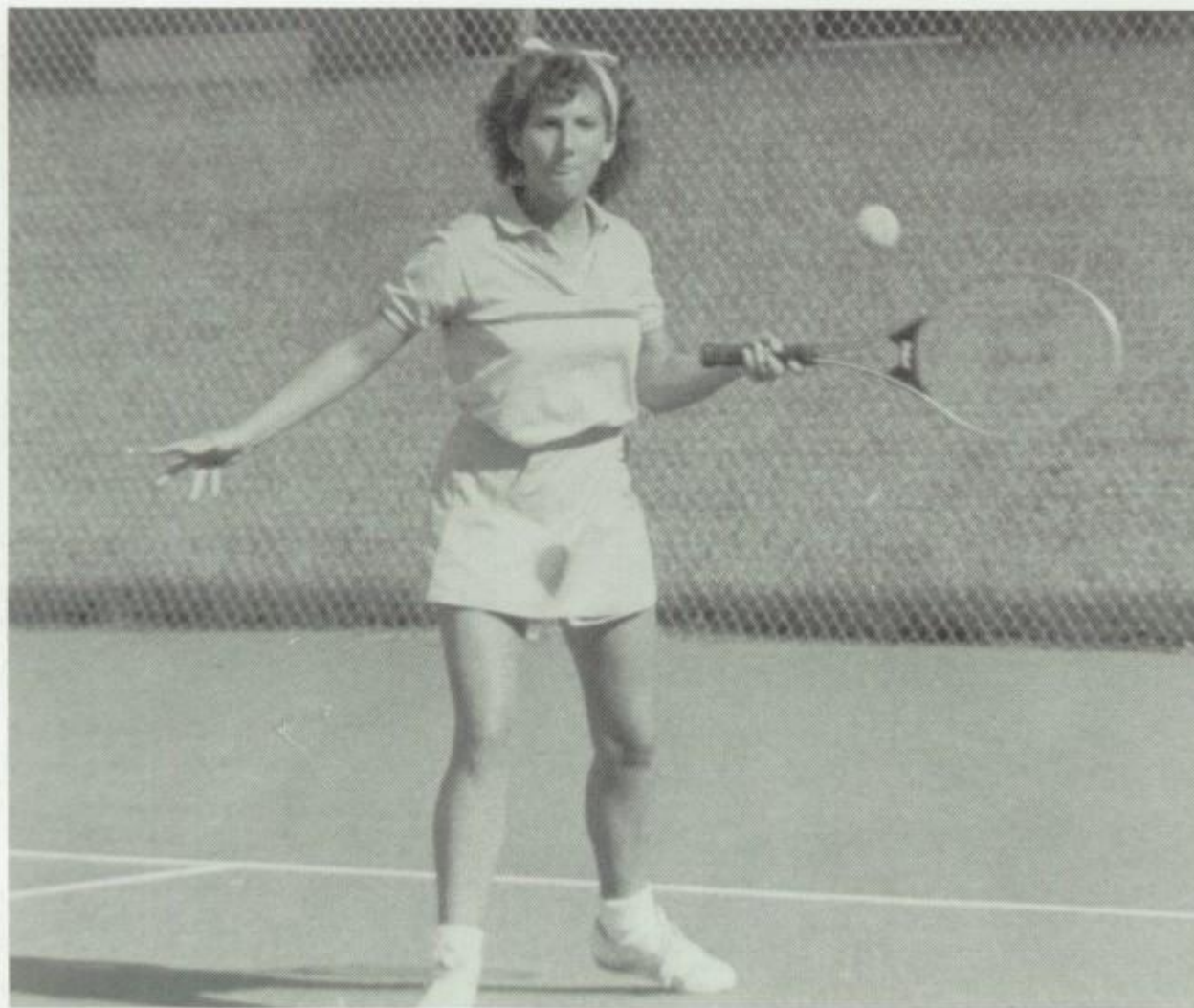
Girls Tennis

If you were near St. Stephens on an early fall day you could more than likely hear the girls tennis team at practice. The girls practiced long and hard every day. After practice it usually showed.

Two seniors went to the regionals, **Toni Thornberg** and **Wendy Propst**. They were the number one doubles team on the girls' tennis team. They were also numbers one and two on the team. Numbers three and four were **Amy Pope** and **Karen (Speedy) Reitzel**. The girls got their numbers from their ranking on the team. A girl could challenge and move up at anytime. When match time came around the number one places on each team squared off, the same with number two, number three, and so on. This insured that two players were not un-



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evenly matched.

The St. Stephens girls tennis team had a good year. The team next year should be as good or better because the loss of a few seniors. But these seniors were key. The team centered around these seniors. But there was also leadership from a strong junior class.

Senior **Wendy Propst** picks up her tennis ball for the next set.

Amy Pope has intense concentration on her return.

Wendy Propst shows a very powerful serve.





M. Beckom



D. Mahaffey



1st Row: Coach, **M. Foster**, **Crystal Spires**, **Wendy Propst**, **Amy Pope**, **Karen Reitzel**, **Jill Propst**, **Michelle Johnson**, 2nd row: **Pam Phillips**, **Teresa Benji**, **Susan Freeman**, **Rochelle Kalkwarl**, **Joy Sigmon**, **Betsy Sher**, **Toni Throneburg**, mgr. **Londa Pope**.

Karen Reitzel shows that good form can win a match.

Cross Country

Six to nine miles a day. Now that is a workout. Most people couldn't put out that much dedication for any sport. But 30 dedicated students at St. Stephens put out that much and more. "This is the hardest we ever worked," stated Jimmy Withers. And this hard work paid off.

This year's Cross Country team had one of its most successful seasons. "Our hardest opponent was Hibriten, but our easiest was Fred T. Foard," said **Jimmy Withers**. "Our team had many strong points, but one of our best was our conditioning. Our weak point was our speed," said **Rodney King**. "We could outrun them, but not out speed them. We had a lot of trouble with the end of the race. We couldn't hold them off. If we were far ahead of them, we could win," stated **Rodney**.

"This year's team showed a lot of dedication. We worked hard this year. Our effort was the best in a long time. The attitude of the team was very proud. The attitude was good by everyone, even the people who weren't the top runners," stated **Jimmy Withers**. The team of this year deserves a pat on the back. They have worked hard this year and made it a lot of fun. "It was made fun by the seniors. They added a lot to the team," said **Rodney**. The team also had a lot of juniors and they will be a large part of the team next year. They will be led by **Kirk Morrow** and assure St. Stephens of another winning season.

The '85-'86 Cross Country team with Coach L. Hoke.

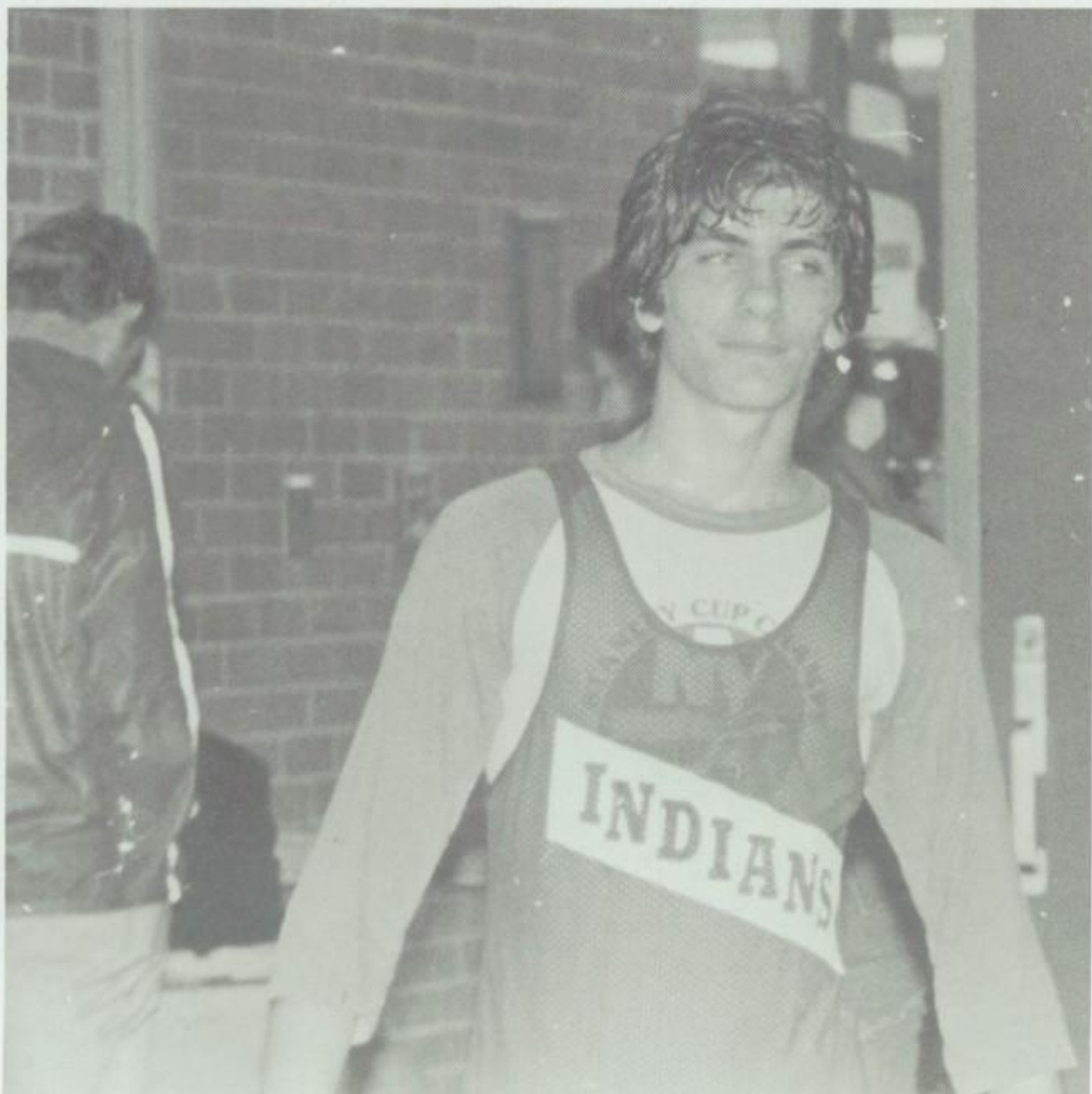
Kirk Morrow finds the right spot to overtake the Fred T. Foard runners.

Junior **James Carswell** shows that there is always a place for humor.





Seniors **Gayle Rhyne** and **Missy Hefner** cheer on the Indian runners.



Indian runner **Dwight Stone** shows that cross country can be a 'water sport' also.

JV Football

The St. Stephens High School JV football team started off the season with a shocking tie of 6 to 6 verses Maiden High School.

The team was well prepared for fundamentals and played near their potential in most games. The starting lineups consisted of five sophomores and six freshmen on offense. Also, four sophomores and seven freshmen on

defense.

Coach **Roland Scott** referred to Hibriten as their best game. Two running backs had over 100 yards each and the defense played super.

This year a good number of freshmen got lots of palying time. So the J.V. football team should have a well-prepared base for a good team in the 86-87 season.

JUNIOR VARSITY

(SSHS)	(Opponent)	
6	Maiden	6
7	Bandys	13
7	Newton-Conover	20
0	Bunker-Hill	22
0	East Burke	42
41	Fred T. Foard	22
6	Lincolnton	28
6	West Caldwell	7
21	Hibriten	6
6	East Lincoln	18



The Indians prepare for a dominating play.

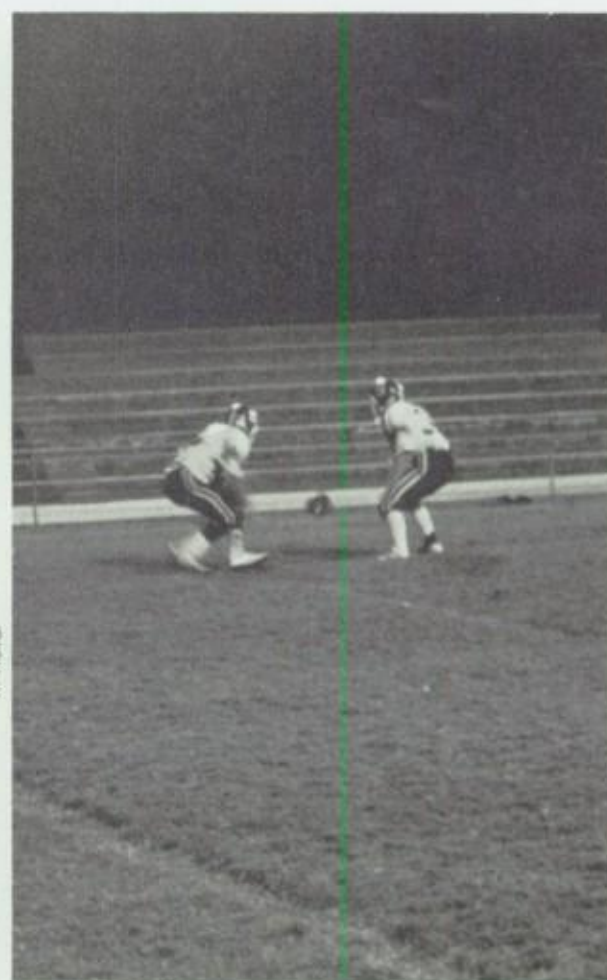
The team takes a break as **Tim Southers** distributes the water.

1st row, Chris Bryant, Paul Blivens, Terry Metclaf, Chad Horton, John Mayo, Rick Wilhelm, Jammy Self, Tracy Turner, Jamie Hicks, Chad Reese, 2nd row, Brian Taylor, Trent Starnes, Jamie Campbell, Jamie Manos, Jason Reid, Kevin Bradshaw, Michael Byrd, Greg Dean, Derrick Mitchell, Richard Ward, 3rd row Michael Harris, Todd Suttlemyre, Wesley Hawn, Jeremy Abbot, Jeff Bolick, Billy Mosely, Kurt Hollar, Chris Herman, Todd Miller, Jeff Lyn, 4th row Shawn Houston, Vince Parker, Brent Baker, Hugh McPherson, Bryan Allen, Brian Price, Jimmy Kerley, Chip Little, Tommy Morrison, Steve Starnes, Todd Guthrie





R. Hollar



R. Hollar



Rodney Hollar



R. Hollar

Coach **Ken Weaver** advises the Indians between plays.

Chad Reese and **Michael Bird** await the return kick while preparing to charge.

The game begins with St. Stephens kicking off to the opposing team.

Mr. Gene Brooks takes a look at **Jimmy Kerley's** leg injury.



Rodney Hollar

Varsity Football

The goal of the St. Stephens Varsity Team this year was to win an away game. They did not reach their goal but they did tie an away game. They tied Bunker-Hill, 14 to 14. Bunker-Hill was a state ranked team and St. Stephens could have won with an extra point. The team played superbly. Seven seniors and four juniors were the starting offense team. Five seniors and six juniors were on the starting defense team.

Overall the team had a good attitude towards the game and pulled through with senior leadership. Next year the team will be missing some very good seniors. But Coach **Roland Scott** hopes that the juniors will work hard this off-season to get ready for the upcoming year.

VARSITY

(SSHS)	(OPPONENT)	
15	Maiden	21
13	Bandys	27
26	Newton-Conover	28
14	Bunker-Hill	14
17	East Burke	35
21	Fred T. Foard	27
38	Lincolnton	24
20	West Caldwell	41
7	Hibriten	27
12	East Lincoln	27

Scott Rosenscein fades back for a pass.

Michael Pope goes one-on-one against the opposing team.





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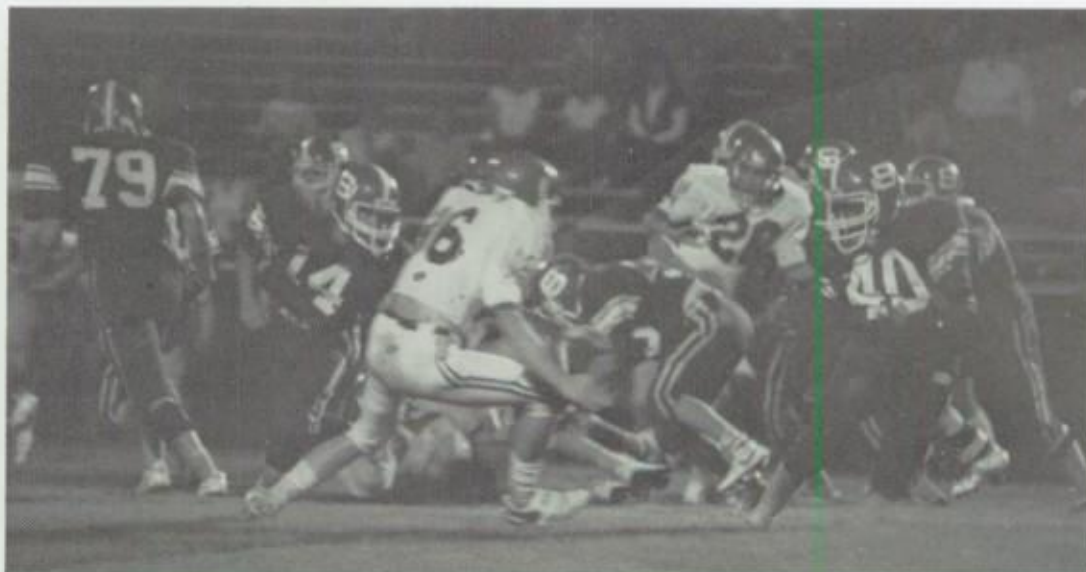
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The Indians charge onto the field.

Mark Huffman avoids two opposing team members.



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Kevin Carter pulls through the defensive line.

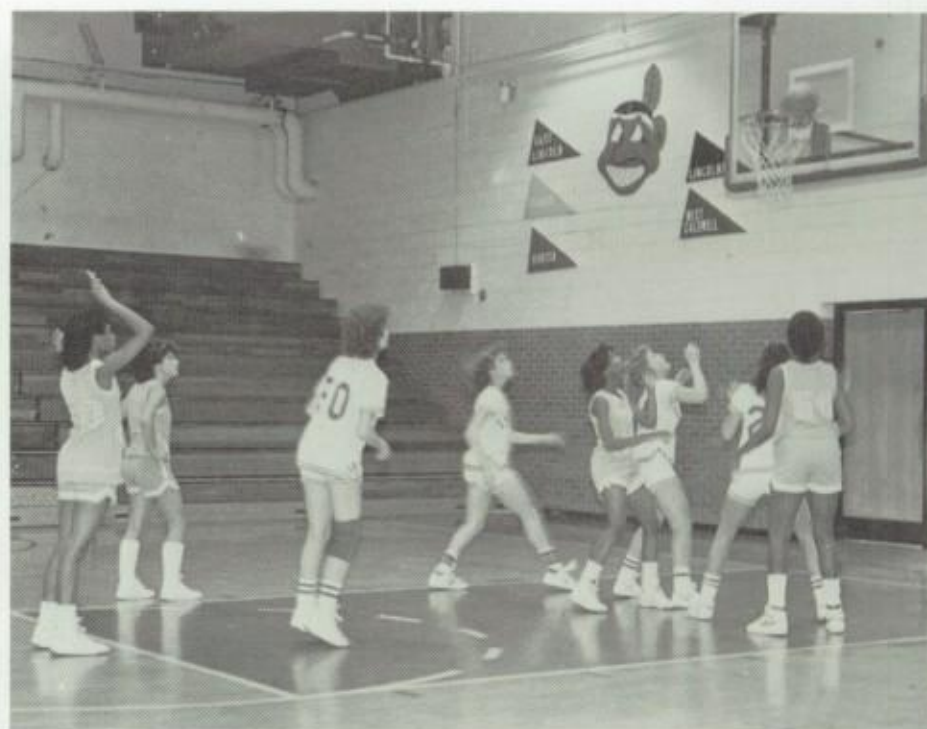
J.V. Girls Basketball



Heidi Barger goes one-on-one.

The lady Indians wait for the rebound.

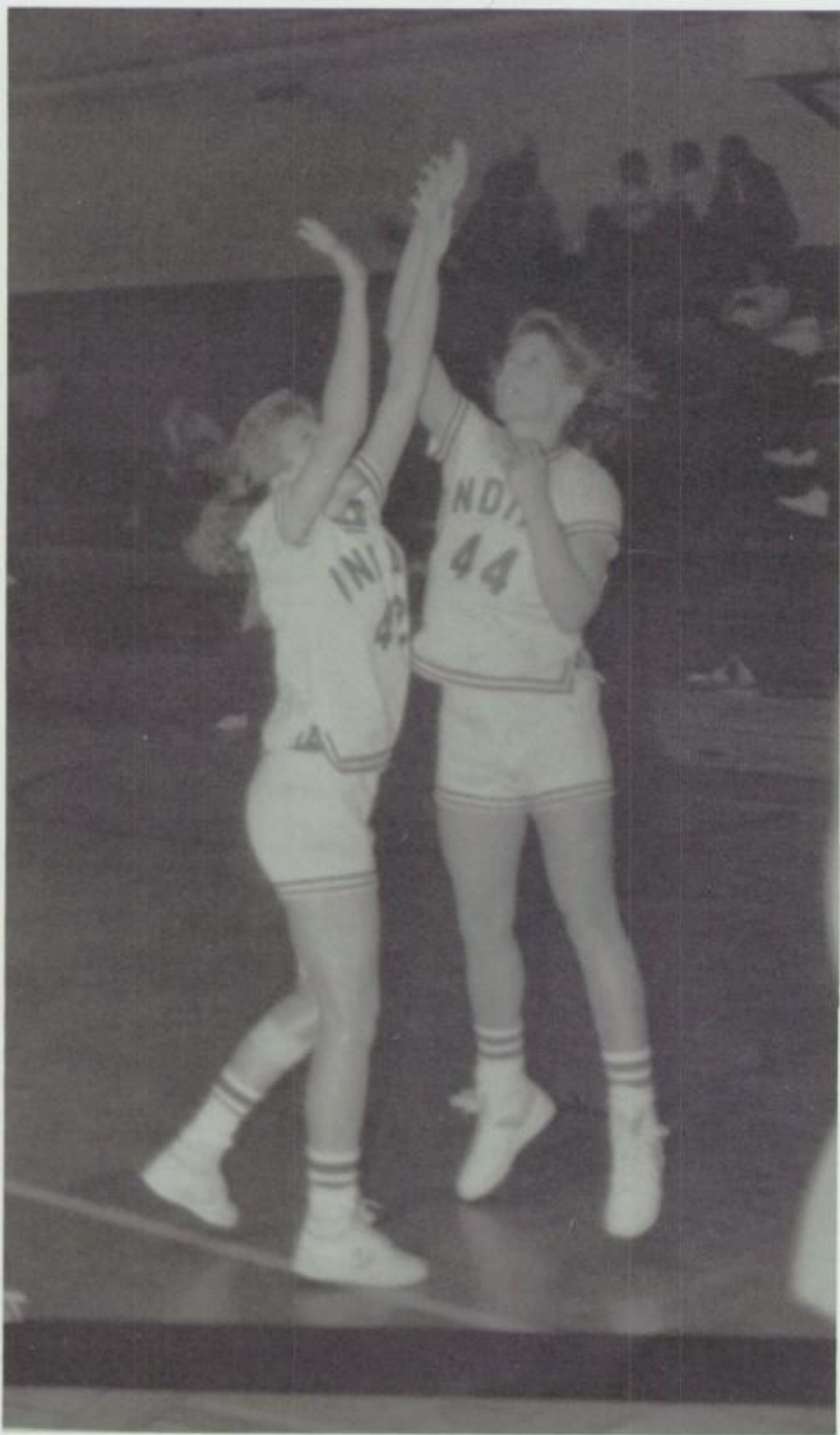
During half-time, Coach **DeAnna Huffman** discusses strategy with the team.



First Row, **Heidi Barger**, Coach **DeAnna Huffman**, **Regina Woodie** S. row, **Amy Reed**, **Christie Teague**, **Lisa Barron**, **Michelle Camp**, **LaDonya Dula**, **Krista Seamon**, **Leslie Huffman**, **Christy Holmes**, **Trina Propst**, **Dawn Bennett**, **Cherie Tester**, **Amy Lafone**,



The J.V. Girls' Basketball team had a great season this year. The team was made up of 14 players, the starting five consisting of 4 sophomores and 1 freshman. The team was young, but gained much experience. They had the ability to play well together; they had a strong defense; and on offense the team was good at working the ball around to the open person. The best game was against Hickory High, in which they scored 70 points, 24 of which were on the freethrow line. The record for non-conference was five and five, and they did great in the conference. To sum it up, coach **De-Anna Huffman** said, "The girls are a real good group to work with, and they don't ever give up."



Heidi Barger drives in and shoots for two.

Dawn Bennett and **Heidi Barger** show determination for a rebound

A strong defense blocks a shot.

Varsity Girls Basketball

Lady Indians Strive For Success

As a new year rolled around for our varsity girls basketball team, our gym was once again transformed into an arena of excitement. Our Lady Indians could be seen displaying all their effort and enthusiasm necessary for a winning season.

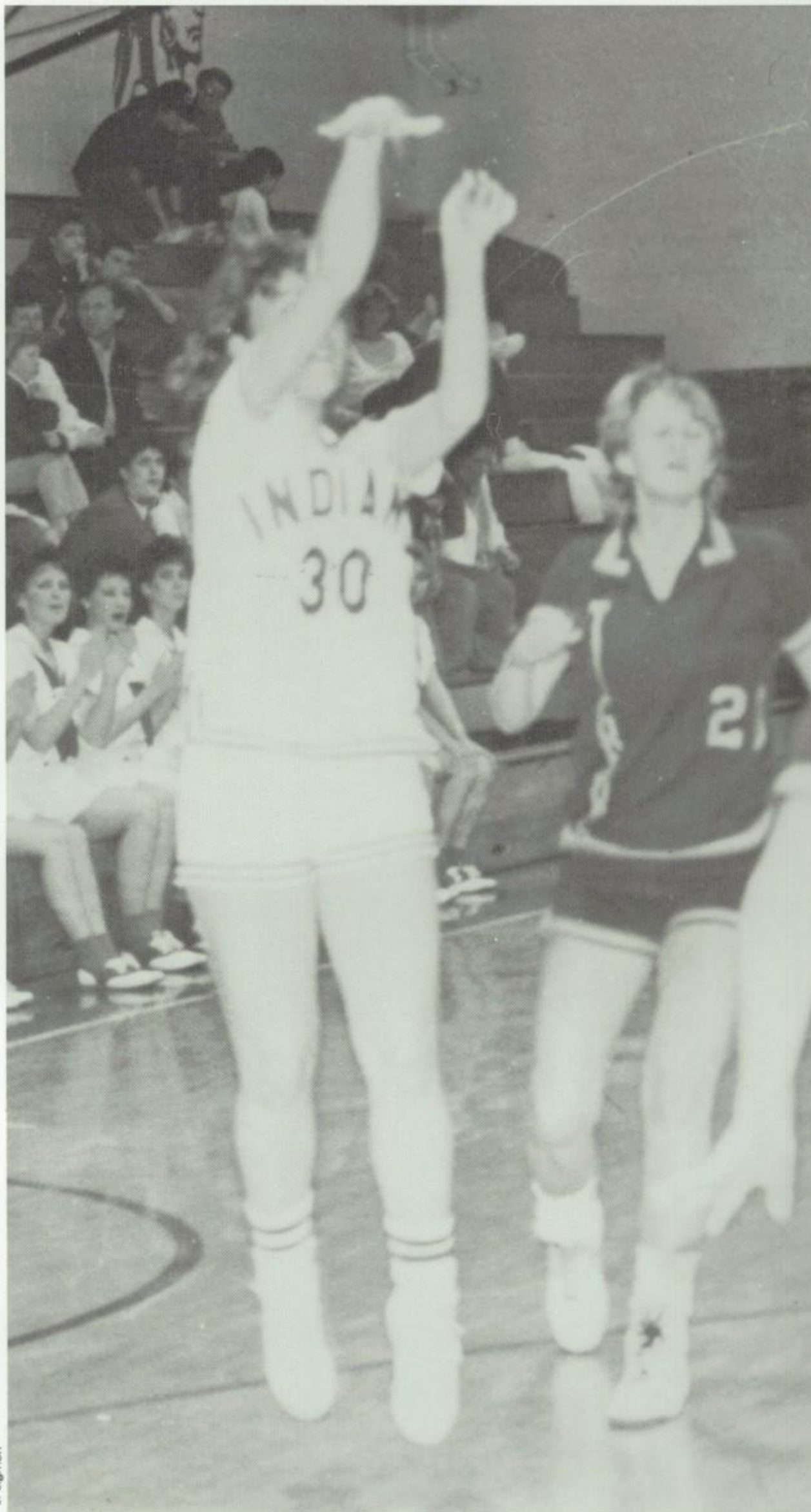
The 1985-1986 Varsity Girls Basketball team had one big advantage going for them; most of the teammates had played basketball all through their high school careers. It was this aspect that **Amanda Westby** commented on, "Due to our experience which we have been building for the past three years, we are looking forward to a successful and prosperous senior year."

One of the most thrilling games the Indians played was against the nationally ranked West Caldwell. The Indians could not pull out the win; however they played professionally and heroically against a difficult rival.

One of the disadvantages expressed by some of the team members was the shortness of the team. If they would have possessed a few taller people, they would have had a better advantage. However an advantage to being small is being quick. This quickness and agility helped win many victories.

Another advantage of the team was by the overwhelming support of the team by the fans. On behalf of the school we would like the team to know, we were behind them all the way and we wish them many more victories.

Melinda Clampitt, under pressure, shoots for success



L. Sigman



Telitha Evans attempts to block a shot from the rival team



Stephanie Sherril jumps for the rebound against Fred T. Foard's Tigers



First row: **Crystal Withers, Angie Teague, Karen Reitzel, Mary Beckom, Terry Allison**; Second row: **Coach Sally Bradshaw, Telitha Evans, Jennifer Whitener, Stephanie Sherril, Linda King, Amanda Westby, Gina Wright, Melinda Clappitt, Jackie Adcox**; Manager



An aggressive throng gathers around the goal for a game determined rebound.

JV Boys Basketball

"Take time and work the ball," yelled **Coach Jeff Price** as a time-out was called and they were in the huddle. "I know that you can do it," he added with a slap on the back. After this, the players sprang to life. "Let's go," they chanted as they hustled back onto the court, ready to win the game.

Coach Price, a physical education major from Lenoir Rhyne, was back for his second coaching season at St. Stephens High, along with four returning players. The junior varsity team was young, but with practicing every day to increase strength and endurance, they played every game with outstanding agility and without commit-

ting costly errors.

The team, as a whole, improved their offensive and defensive skills with every game they played.

"The coach inspires us with his pep talks and makes us want to play to our full potential," said one player, "even when we are really tired, he'll make us feel like we just started playing."

Adding the victories and defeats, the junior varsity basketball team had done battle with several tough competitors. Though disappointed by losing some very close games, they still worked hard to improve. They fought wrecklessly to come out on top and we were proud of them for showing their Indian Spirit.



E. Sain



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The Indians go down court and wait to start their defensive strategy.

David Edwards looks for an open man to add two points to the score.

Down the court come the active Indians, ready to "play ball."



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The members of the 1985-1986 junior varsity team: Chad Horton, Brad Warren, Eric Sigmon (mgr), Jamie Mannis, Rodney Miller, Jeff Sneed, Eric Wade, Jerry Russell, Philip Bracewell, Bobby Reynolds, Vincent Parker, Michael Gerkin, David Edwards, Andy Lewis, Kenneth McCombs, and Brian Goble (mgr).

All Indians go for the rebound from a missed shot by the visiting team.



Bobby Reynolds takes the ball to the hoop.

Varsity Boys Basketball

The disappointment showed as the varsity Indians trudged their way back to the locker room. After the last two hours of fast-moving, sweat-breaking basketball action, the Indian team had lost a double overtime. Bunker Hill had squeezed by with the score in their favor. Next time Bunker Hill would not be so lucky. The Indians were on the war path now, and victory was on their side. At 8:00 p.m. Saturday night on December 28, the St. Stephens Varsity basketball team was warmed up and ready to go. They dominated the Bears throughout the entire game and ended with the score 64-52. Now look who was the best.!

The St. Stephens varsity boys basketball team dribbled their way to a successful season. Besides beating Bunker Hill, the Indians defeated their rival — Hickory High Tornadoes — at St. Stephens. These were two of the most well-played and best-executed games with the high scorers being captain **Dean Cline** and **Mike Ludwig**.

Coach **Harry Frye** practiced with the team every day to improve skills and technique. The Indians ended up with a well-balanced season. The varsity boys played well the entire season.



Coach Frye sits on the bench impatiently waiting for his team to score.



Dean Cline leaps up to outjump his opponent at the jumpball.



Curtis Canella goes for the rebound to keep it from the Devils.



Mike Ludwig, "Lud", passes the ball to the Indian under the hoop.



Robbie Dellinger, "Del," snatches the ball from the Mustangs.



"Don't let that ball go through the hoop, Curtis!"



Athletic trainer, **Gene Brooks**, Manager **Keith Huffman**, **Matt Kirby**, **Robbie Dellinger**, Captain **Dean Cline**, **Curtis Canella**, **Mike Ludwig**,

Donald Lynn, **Scott Rosenchien**, **Robert Spencer**, **Jason Beck**, **Jason Petty**, **Kirk Morrow**, **Curtis Elledge**, Manager **Ricky Rudisell**

"Swoosh." **Matt Kirby** hits the basket for two.

J.V. Wrestling

Forty-eight, forty-nine, fifty . . . these numbers rang constantly through the ears of the J.V. wrestlers. Only strong determination and a real love for the sport could get a person through some of the relentless practices.

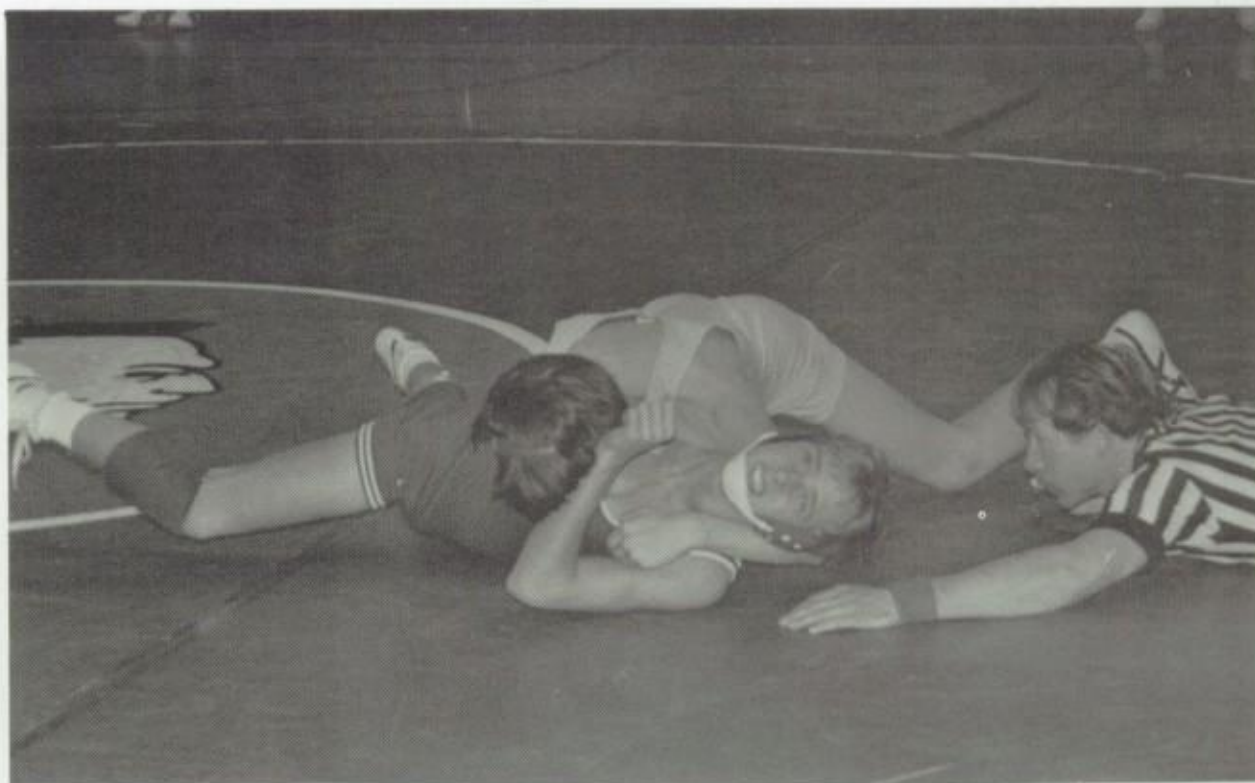
Fifty pushups here and two miles of running there were the life style of the wrestlers throughout the season, but even though the practices were sometimes long and hard, the 1985-1986 7th, 8th, and 9th grade wrestling team enjoyed a successful campaign and ended up with a four wins and five losses record.

The team started the year opening up with wins over Newton-Conover and Granite Falls. Then came the tough losses against Shelby and King's Mountain, both of which are year-in and year-out perennial powers. Other losses which were heartbreakers included two three-point losses to Hudson and a one-point loss to West Lincoln which the Indians had beaten earlier in the season. On January 25, 1986, St. Stephens held the first annual Jr. High Tournament, in which the team finished third. Leading the team on the mat in wins were Scott Kearns 8-3, Michael Propst 8-2, Paul Belvins 8-3, and Jason Berry 8-3. Overall the Indians are looking with great optimism to next year's season. There are several good athletes returning from this year's squad and this insures optimistic notes among all other coaches.

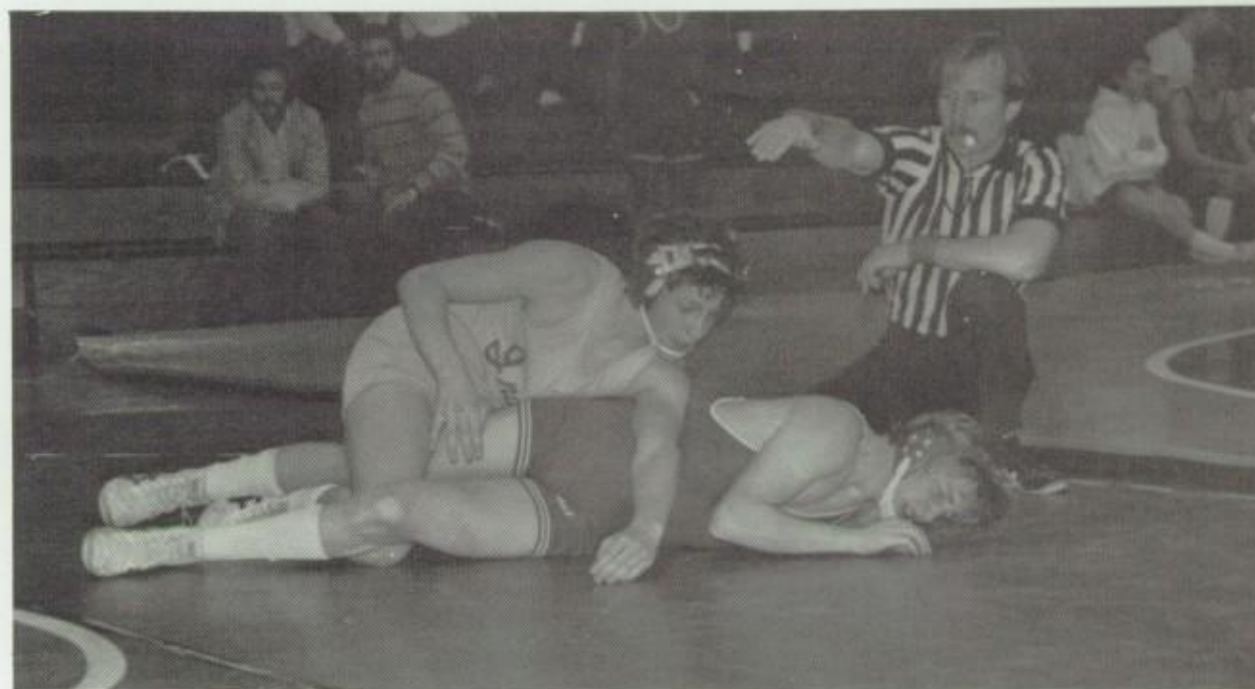
The look of defeat takes its place on **Jason Berry's** opponent's face as he awaits the referee's whistle.

Doyle Spencer takes two points from his opponent with a reverse.

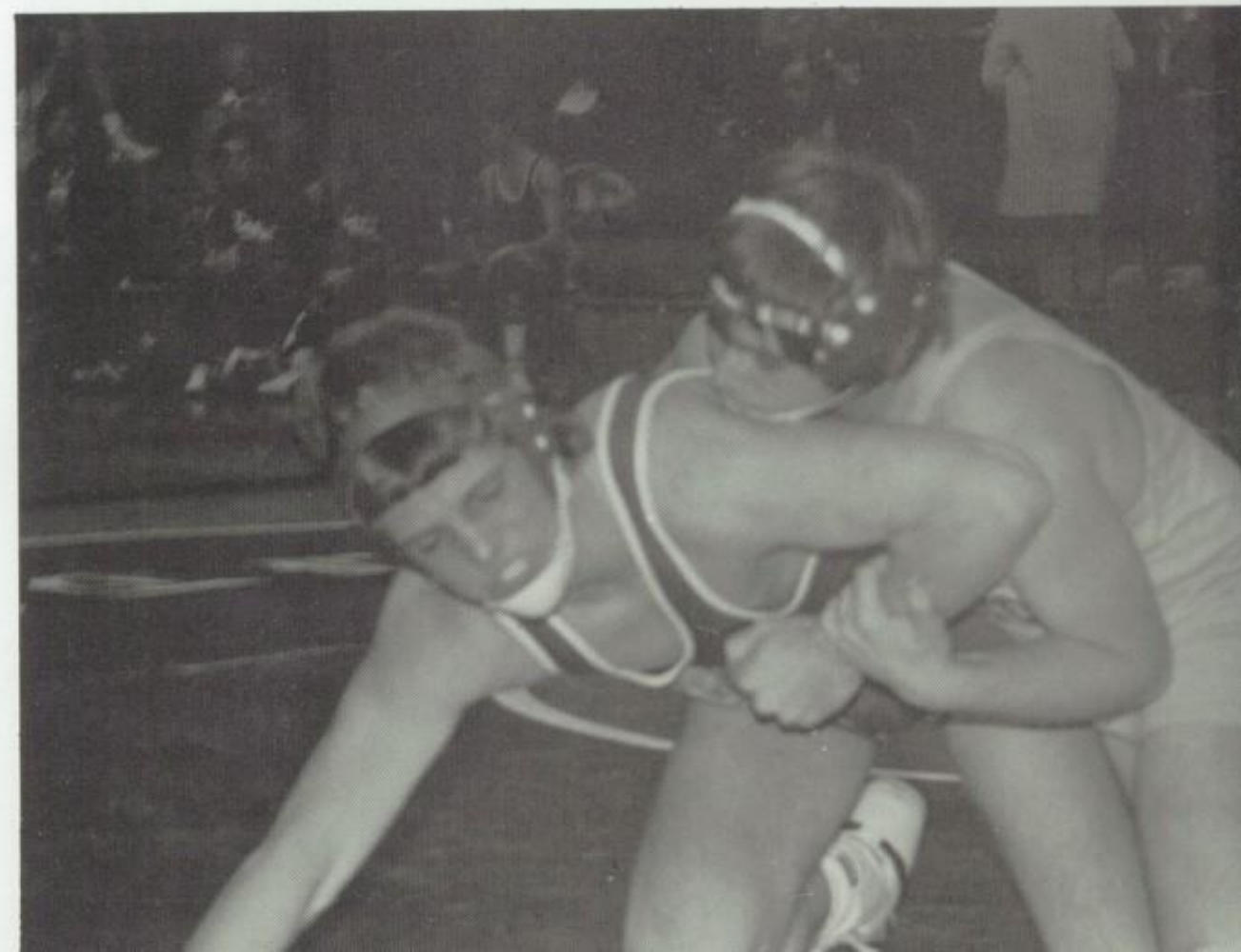
All's fair . . . especially when you're **Brent Martin** and on top, but his opponent doesn't seem to agree.

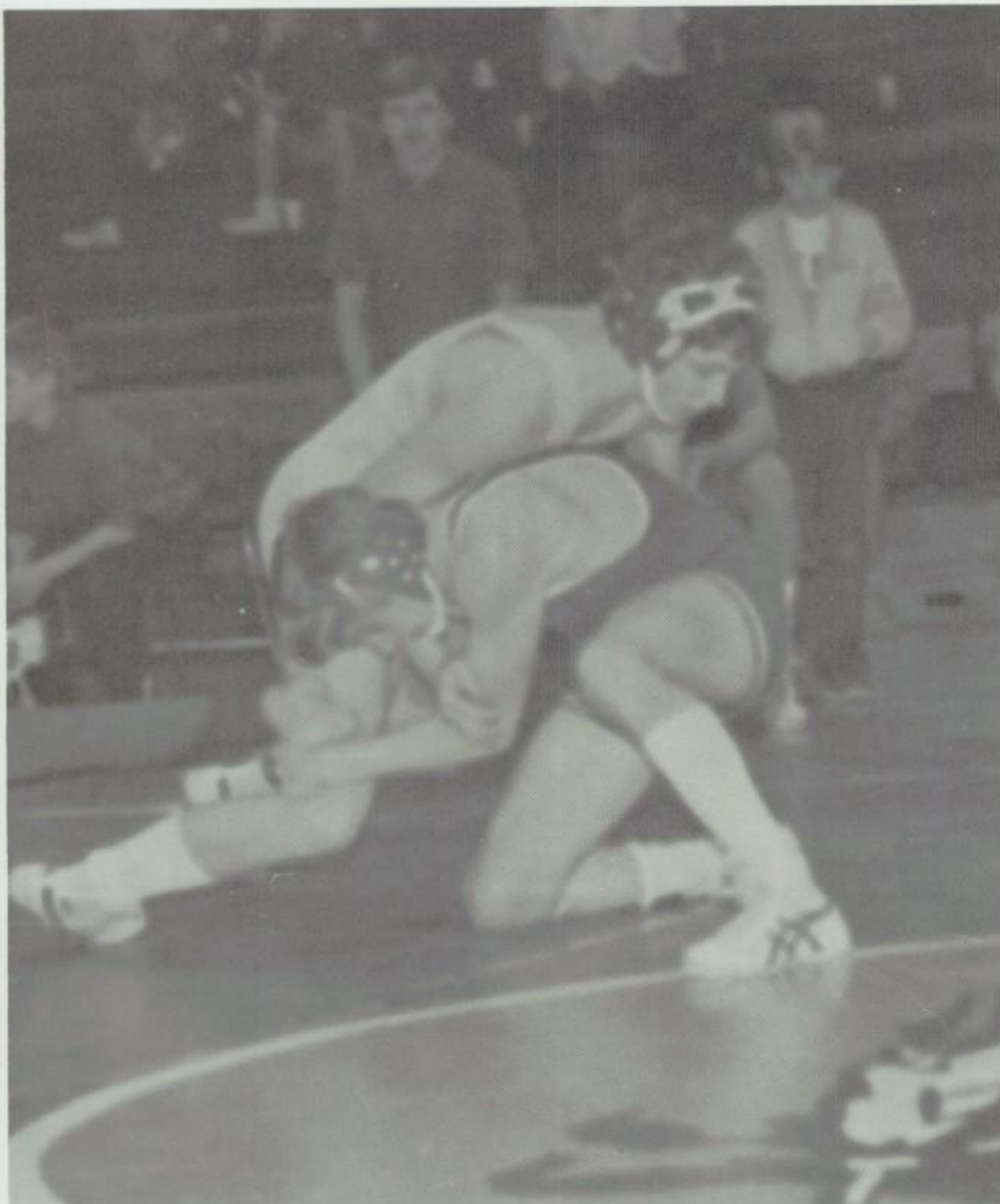


L. Sigmon



L. Sigmon





N. Kentap

Doyle Spencer demonstrates one of the objects of a good wrestler ... to put your opponent on his knees.

Coach **Darrel Reece** watches intently every move of his wrestlers so he will be able to coach them on to another victory.

Front Row: **S. Kearns, R. Dellinger, M. Propst, S. Hovis, J. Berry, T. Whistant, R. Stone**, Middle: **R. Hoke, E. Drum, N. Bollinger, L. Clodfelter, E. Wilson, P. Belvins, M. Dellinger, B. Martin**. Back: **Coach Darrel Reece, E. Seabock, D. Spencer, B. Spencer, W. O'Brien, B. Allen, B. Lane and W. Ellis.**

L. Sigmon



L. Sigmon

Sigmon

Wrestling

A normal day in the life of a wrestler starts in the morning like all the others. The only difference in that of others and that of a wrestler is that during the season very little is eaten. This is to reduce weight. There is a saying, with each match you must wrestle twice, first with your weight, then with your opponent. This year the team did a very good job with both. Most wrestlers will agree that the hardest part of the season was not the matches. It was the practice. Most practices lasted about two hours. This usually encompassed from two to four miles of running, then an extensive warm-up drill (this would be enough for most people). After this, practice started periods of wrestling, teaching new moves, and drill in the ones that had been learned earlier, climb the rope twice, do as many chin-ups as one could and go home.

The outlook for the '85-'86 season was one of the best ever with an un-

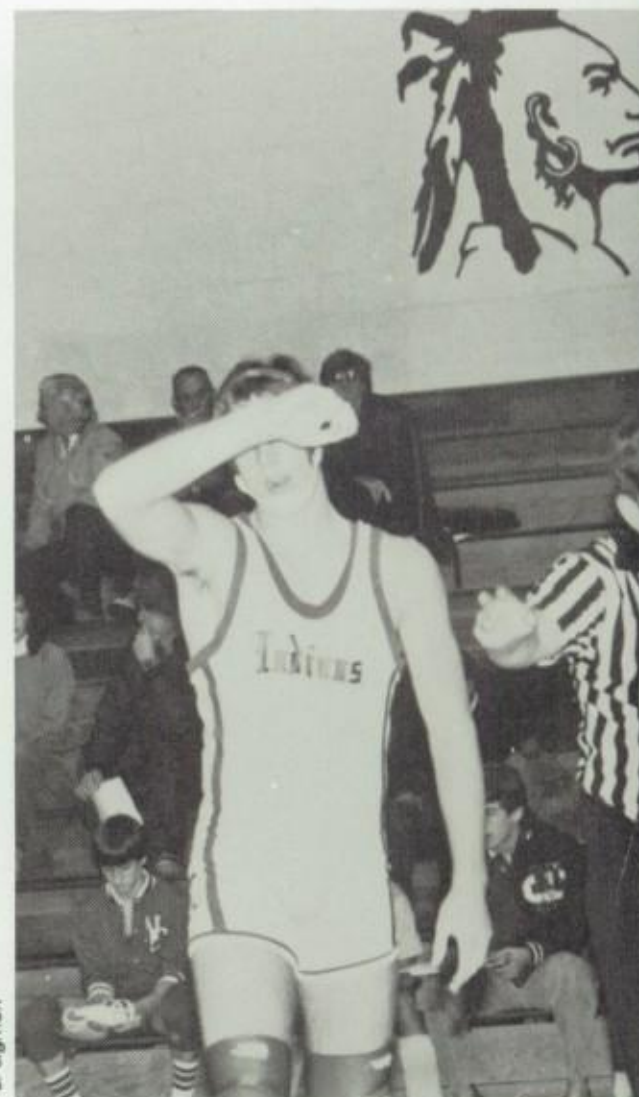
defeated regular season tournament record. There was only one loss in the dual meets and that was to one of the roughest teams in the state, Statesville. This team had more pins than any other team in St. Stephens history. They were also close to the total team points record. This year St. Stephens could send more people to the state championship tournament than ever before.

The outlook for next year is better than ever. The team only started seniors, **Doug Killian** (weight class 119) and **Darrin Shook** (weight class 138). The returning members of the team are at 98 **Andy Phelps**, 105 **Drew Sigmon**, 112 **Bryan Pitts**, 126 **Ryan Whetzel**, 132 **Steve Floyd**, 145 **Kevin Berry**, 155 **Kevin Carter**, 167 **Brad Canipe**, 185 **Paul Queen**, 195 **James Carswell**, and HWT **Eric Isenhour**. We hope the teams goals are met for the upcoming season.

Kevin Carter shows his exhaustion after a tough match with Hickory High.

Darrin Shook proves that wrestling can turn your world upside down.

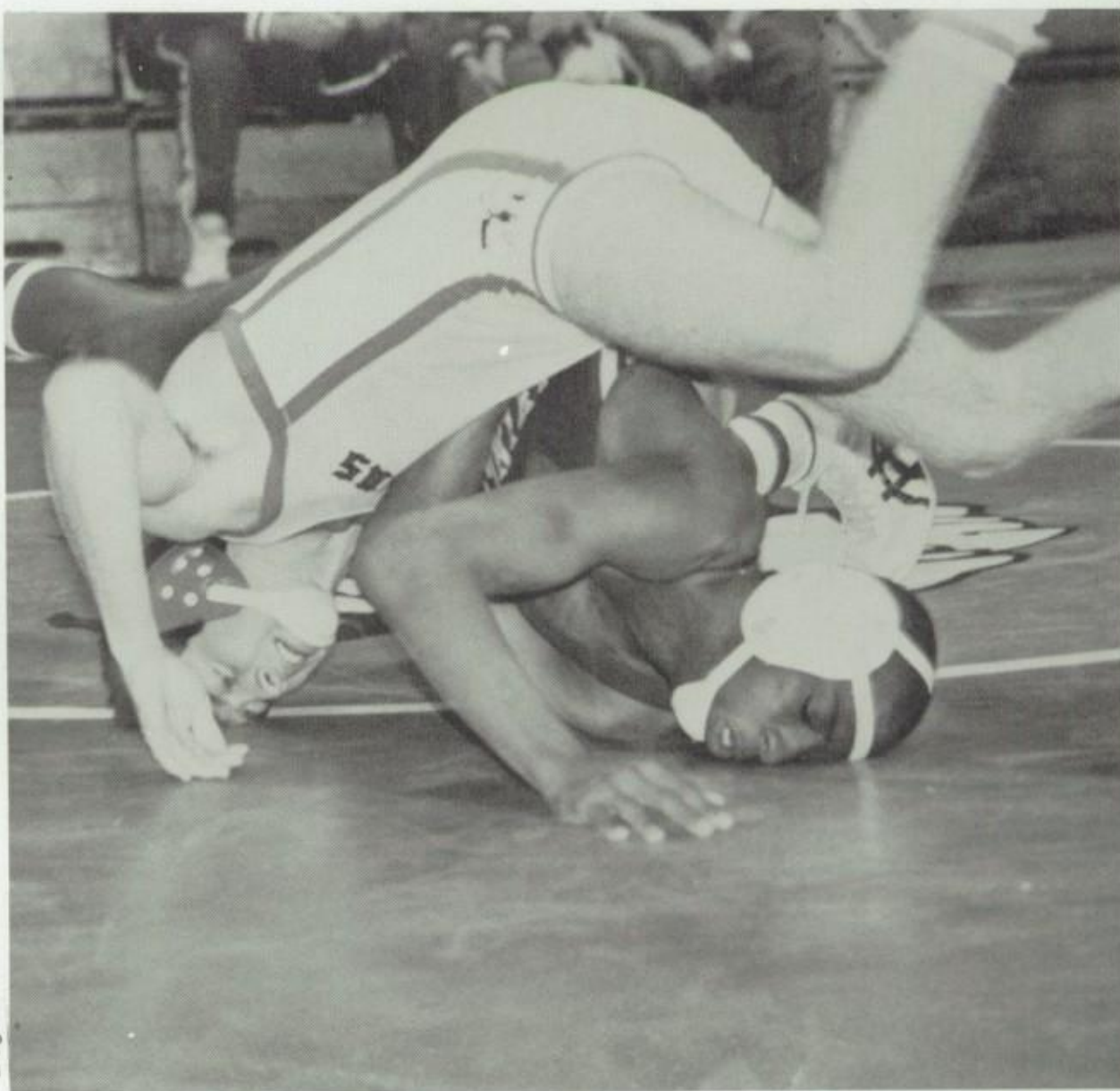
Larry Carpenter shows great intensity in coaching.



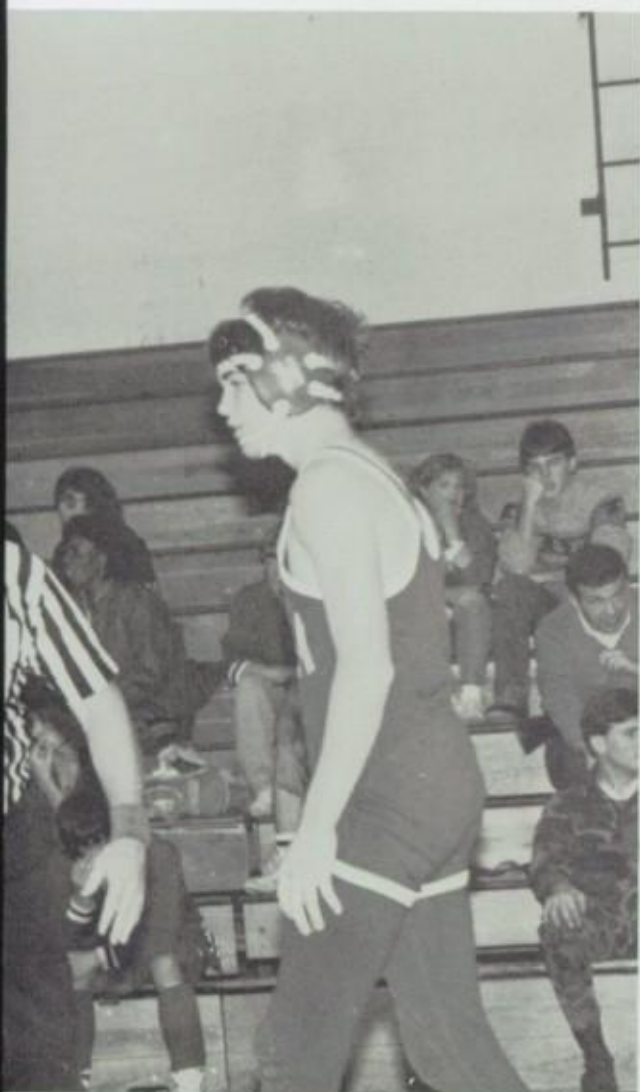
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Ryan Whetzel shows that take-downs don't come easy.

Doug Killian knows that a pin is what wrestling is all about.



1985-86 Varsity Wrestling Team and coach **Larry Carpenter**



Softball

Ten and zero was the Lady Indians' record after the first half of the season. The first two games with Hickory High really built up the Lady Indians' spirit. With a new coach, five new players, and the skill and experience of 11 returners; the Lady Indians reached their goal.

The Lady Indians referred Hickory High as their best games of the season. "Knowing this team and playing ball with them in other leagues brought along a better outlook towards the games ahead, said Sophomore **Maida Sigmon**.

"Base running, our hitting, and lots of enthusiasm were our strong points," remarked coach **DeAnna Huffman**, "while experience in our new players was our weak points.

The games overall this year were 12-7 and 8-7 in conference. Coach **DeAnna Huffman** said, "Next year's outlook is a good one, because we have 12 returning players and six starters. With five juniors and one senior as starters, the Lady Indians are off to a great start for the 85-86 season."



Senior **Debbie Morrow** watches the ball carefully to get just the right pitch.

Junior **Mary Beckom** anxiously awaits a base hit to bring in another run.

The strive and determination for a solid base hit is shown by sophomore **Melinda Clampitt**.

Hickory	09	S.S.H.S.	10
Hickory	02	S.S.H.S.	12
Bunker Hill	08	S.S.H.S.	25
Bunker Hill	05	S.S.H.S.	14
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West Cald.	02	S.S.H.S.	14
West Cald.	12	S.S.H.S.	19
Wilkes Cent.	03	S.S.H.S.	09
Hibriten	06	S.S.H.S.	16
Hibriten	01	S.S.H.S.	13
West Cald.	02	S.S.H.S.	16
Alex. Cent.	10	S.S.H.S.	04
Alex. Cent.	03	S.S.H.S.	01
Hibriten	01	S.S.H.S.	26
Watauga	13	S.S.H.S.	03
Watauga	07	S.S.H.S.	04
Wilkes Cent.	03	S.S.H.S.	02
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Alex. Cent.	19	S.S.H.S.	04
Watauga	—	S.S.H.S.	00



L. Miller



Sophomore **Maida Sigman** carefully pitches to the batter hoping for a strike.

Coach **DeAnna Huffman** instructs Senior **Debbie Morrow** for a needed hit while Senior **Michelle Cook** warms up in deck.



L. Miller

VARSITY CHEERLEADING

As the Indian cheerleaders sat in the gym at Davidson, the nervousness and anticipation showed. They had worked extremely hard to be the best, and this was the time to find out if all that sweat and dedication had paid off. "The Award of Excellence winner is ... the varsity squad from St. Stephens!" The work did pay off. Out of the four squads in the Award of Excellence, two squads were from St. Stephens. This marked the fourth consecutive year that St. Stephens varsity received the Award of Excellence and the second year that the J.V. placed in the top four along with the a varsity. Not only did St. Stephens win, but it also had five girls nominated for All-American — **Gayle Rhyne, Missy Hefner, Susan Killian, Carol Dunton, and Amy Huffman.**

Besides going to camp at Davidson over the summer, the varsity spent a lot of time together and got to know each other. Two Saturdays they got out the buckets and water hoses and had a car wash to raise money. Some practices did not make it too far before everyone loaded up and went to Shoney's for breakfast. The summer was really a lot of fun and hard work put together.

For the second year in a row, the varsity cheerleaders earned the right to compete at Nationals. In 1984 they flew to the hometown of the Dallas Cowboys. Practices were filled with sweat and determination. Their coach, **Jill Blair** and her husband, **Tillman**, were the biggest help to the varsity. Jill designed all the routines and choreographies. She and **Tillman** sometimes spent as many as six hours at a time helping the squad to perfect their rou-

tine. At Dallas the competition was unreal, but St. Stephens came out 29th out of 83. This was a huge accomplishment for the squad. In 1985 on December 27 the varsity once again flew to Nationals. This time they were held in the big orange state, Orlando, Florida. The squad reached for even higher goals and hoped to obtain them.

Friday night football games let the cheerleaders show their spirit by doing cheers and peppy chants. Keeping the crowd spirited was what it was all about. Pep rallies pepped up the school and fired up the players. Sometimes the players even became the cheerleaders. They were pretty good too. Basketball games were even better. With the help and support of the crowd the cheering was easy and fun.

H. Spatz



E. Sain



J. Rhyne

Addie and **Heather** show their spirit by jumping and pepping up the crowd.

In November 1985 the squad went to Asheville to compete. They strutted their stuff to show who was the best. This was one of the many stunts that the squad exhibited.



"Let's go red!", shouts **Missy** and **Helen** at the Friday night football game.

"Control is the key to take that victory." These chants really helped pick up the crowd.

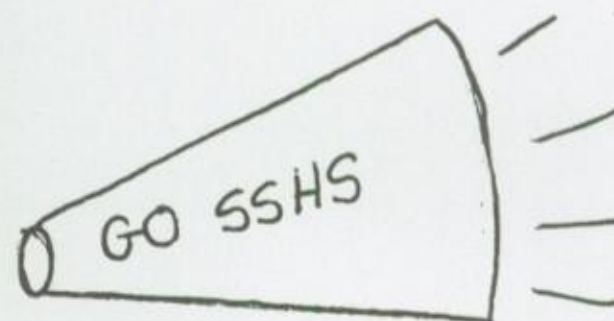


Look at them! Hammin' it up!

J. Rhyne



E. Sain



"Go Red! Go Red! Go Red! Yeah!"

Stunts are one St. Stephens varsity's biggest assets, and here it shows.

At camp everyone had to do shoulder stands.



J. Rhyne



S. Sigmon



S. Sigmon



Lackey



S. Sigmon

At Davidson this basket toss helped St. Stephens to outdo the competition.

Susan Killian, Missy Hefner, Mavis Martin, Helen Spatz, Addie Sigmon, Heather Livengood, Sandra Jones, Carol Dunton, Melanie Queen, Gayle Rhyne.

J.V. Cheerleading

Go Big Red! The J.V. Cheerleaders played a major role in boosting school spirit. The long hours and dedication put forth had resulted in much recognition for this group. The J.V.'s attended camp this year at Davidson College and were chosen as one of the top four squads that attended. Of the 15 girls who were chosen to compete for the title of All-American Cheerleader, one of our own J.V.'s **Amy Huffman** was selected to compete. They had a car wash and sold spirit pins to raise money for new outfits. Summer practices proved to be recreational as well as beneficial, and this was brought out with every performance at our football and basketball games. St. Stephens can truly be proud to call this squad Indians.!



The J.V. squad joins forces with the Varsity squad during the Homecoming assembly.

The J.V. Cheerleaders show their spirit at a home basketball game.

The squad demonstrates it's ability in performing difficult stunts.

The 85'-86' J.V. Cheerleading Squad: **Leslie Bailey, Amy Huffman, Julia Troutman, Beth Thomas, Katherine Huggins, Jennifer Angelica, Deidra Good, Kathie Hollar, head, Lindee Lenoir** not pictured: **Candy Mathews**





The squad show their Indian pride at Davidson College.

Candy Mathews has a look of surprise on her face after being 'caught in the act.'

The squad cheers the Indians on for two more points during a basketball game.

Jennifer Angelica shows off her pretty smile for the fans of the Indians.



Enthusiasm is definitely pointed out by the squad during the many practices at camp.



Boy's Tennis

"We played very good tennis; we had a lot of returning players. They were our greatest asset. They proved to be the center of our team. The veterans of the team were alot like on-the-court coaches. We had a good time this year. Isn't that what a sport is for?" stated **Brad Koser**.

In talking with team members there were many good games. "It was hard to pick only one game as the best," most said. The match with Bunker Hill was the team's best overall match.

The team's attitude was somewhat negative because of five defeats, but they also evened up their record with five great wins. "The team's attitude wasn't bad, it just wasn't as good as in years past," said **Koser**.



Tim Hewitt awaits the opponent's serve.



T. St. Clair

Eric Weaver shows that the key to winning is concentration.



T. St. Clair

Brad Koser shows his neat clean armpit.



T. St. Clair

For **David Freeman**, tennis isn't as exciting as it looks.



David Cranfill prepares to deliver an ace.



T. St. Clair

It takes heart.

Golf

The St. Stephens golf team this year consisted of nine players. All of whom put forth 100 percent effort toward the success of the team. Coach **Roland Scott** said, "Watuga was our best match. In this match we had seven players shoot in the 70's and that is excellent."

All year long the team played good competition. Each individual player had a goal of conference champion, but the team did have three students to go to the sectionals. **Jason Petty** received most valuable player; **Steve Goins** was most improved and **Todd Good** received team before self.

With seven returning players, Coach **Roland Scott** is looking forward to an even better season next year.



T. St. Clair

Steve Goins chips on the green for another birdie attempt.

Mike, this is no way to make a putt.

Jason Petty attempts to get the ball on the green.





T. St. Clair



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Todd Good makes his second drive on his approach to the green.

Jason Petty ponders his next shot.

David Dunmyer putts, but the hole is not in sight.

Girls Track

With a record of 13-2, the Lady Indians finished the 1985 track season second in the Northwestern Conference, behind Hibriten.

There were four records broken this year by the girls: **Angie Holder** in the triple jump, **Karen Reitzel** in the 300m low hurdles, and **Patty King** in the 1600m and 800m. There were three girls that were All-Conference: **Angie Holder** in the long jump and triple jump, **Karen Reitzel** in the 300m low hurdles, and last, but far from least, **Patty King** in the 1600m, 800m and 3200m.

For the first time in St. Stephens history we had a state champion. This state champion was Patty King running in the 3200m run. The discipline and determination she has always shown had finally paid off.

Five girls went onto the sectionals. They were **Patty King**, finishing first in the 1600m and 3200m, **Karen Reitzel** finishing first in the 300m low hurdles, and the 400 relay team finishing first, consisting of **Karen Reitzel**, **Crystal Withers**, **Heidi Barger** and **Angie Holder**. **Angie Holder** finished second

in the triple jump.

Team awards were voted on by the players. The awards were given to **Christy Hedrick** for Most Improved, **Angie Holder** for Best Field Events, **Karen Reitzel** for Best Sprinter, **Patty King** for Best Distance, and **Julie Spencer** for Team Before Self, and **Patty King** and **Angie Holder** for Most Valuable Runner.

There were 44 runners on the team. Only five of them were seniors. They were very young team and should be stronger this upcoming year. The girls had a points competition between classes, the five seniors finished first with 241 points, the freshman finished second with 215 points, the juniors with 213 points and the sophomores with 166 points.



"Women!" **Coach Weaver** exclaims.



"Now girls, run that way and around the track."

Tension mounts as they await the sound of the gun.





M. Beckom



M. Beckom



M. Beckom

Susan Rogers bounds from the mark in hopes of victory.

Joy Sigmon strives for a record leap.

Karen Ritzel hugs the asphalt as she passes her opponent.

Crystal Bost prepares the pit for **Joy Sigmon**.



M. Beckom

Crystal Withers strains to miss the bar.



M. Beckom

Boys Track

The boys' track team had a very good season last year. For the fourth time in a row, the Indians finished on top of the Northwestern Conference. They were undefeated in conference play and 31-6 overall.

The team was not made up of Carl Lewises, but it was a well-balanced team. There were sixty members, 18 seniors, 10 juniors, 20 sophomores, and 12 freshmen.

There is a class scoring competition each year. This past year the seniors finished first with a total of 572 points. The sophomores finished second with 558 points. The juniors and freshmen ended with 379 and 757 points respectively. Twenty people lettered for the first time and 40 people received stars.

The team was also assisted by a very able team of statisticians and managers: **Tina Craig, Heather Kane, Susan Crouch, Carolyn Travis, and Annette Williams.**

Eight of the track team qualified for sectionals: **Bobby Judson** in the discus. **Heath McBride** in the shot. **Chuck Gibbs, Andy Burns, and Darren Allen** in the pole vault. **Kirk Morrow** in the 1600 meter and the 800 meter. **Scott Oakes** in the 300 meter hurdles and **Nick Kentopp** in the 400 meter.

Three of these runners went on to the regionals: **Heath McBride, Kirk Morrow, and Scott Oakes.**

There were nine runners in seven events who made All-Conference: **Heath McBride** in shot, **Bobby Hudson** in discus, **Tracy Withers** in the long jump, **Tracy Withers** in the triple jump, **Mark Oakes** in the 400 meter, **Scott Oakes** in the 300 meter hurdles, and the 1600 meter relay team consisting of **Jimmy Withers, Todd Huffman, Mark Oakes, and Nick Kentopp.**

Two people broke school records last year, Andy Gibbs and Chuck Gibbs in the Pole Vault.

At the end of the season the entire team voted on team awards: Most Improved, **Rodney King**; Best Field Events, **Heath McBride; Mark Teague**; Best Sprinter, **Mark Teague**; Best Distance, **Kirk Morrow**; Team Before Self, **Scott Oakes**; Most Valuable, **Tracy Withers.**

Kirk, Scott, and Kyle pass opponents for team victory.

Who is this "shaded" guy?

Members of the track team gather at the watering hole.



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County Meet

St. Stephens	127 1/2		
Bunker Hill	65		
Foard	43		
Bandys	24 1/2		
St. Stephens	91 1/2	Hibriten	45
St. Stephens	90	Newton-Conover	51
St. Stephens	100	Wilkes Central	56
COED St. Stephens	88	Hibriten	77
St. Stephens	104 1/2	West Caldwell	49 1/2
Lincolnton Relays	5th out of 12		
Porters	3rd out of 12		
Conference	St. Stephens		
	Hibriten		
	West Caldwell		





R. Seagle



1985 Track Team

Scott jumps over the hurdles in agony.

A track member thrusts his body over the bar.



R. Seagle



R. Seagle



R. Seagle

Coaches compare final scores of the meet.

Varsity Baseball

The Varsity Indian Baseball team had an even 10-win, 10-loss season last year. **Scott Rosenschein** recieved All-Conference and batting champion awards. **Huey McPherson** and **Scott Hendrix** were the winning pitchers. The most valuable offensive player award went to **Scott Rosenschein**. **Danny Billow** was awarded the most valuable defensive player. Rising seniors, **Scott Rosenschein** and **Mark D. Huffman** are expected to be key players during the 1985-1986 season.

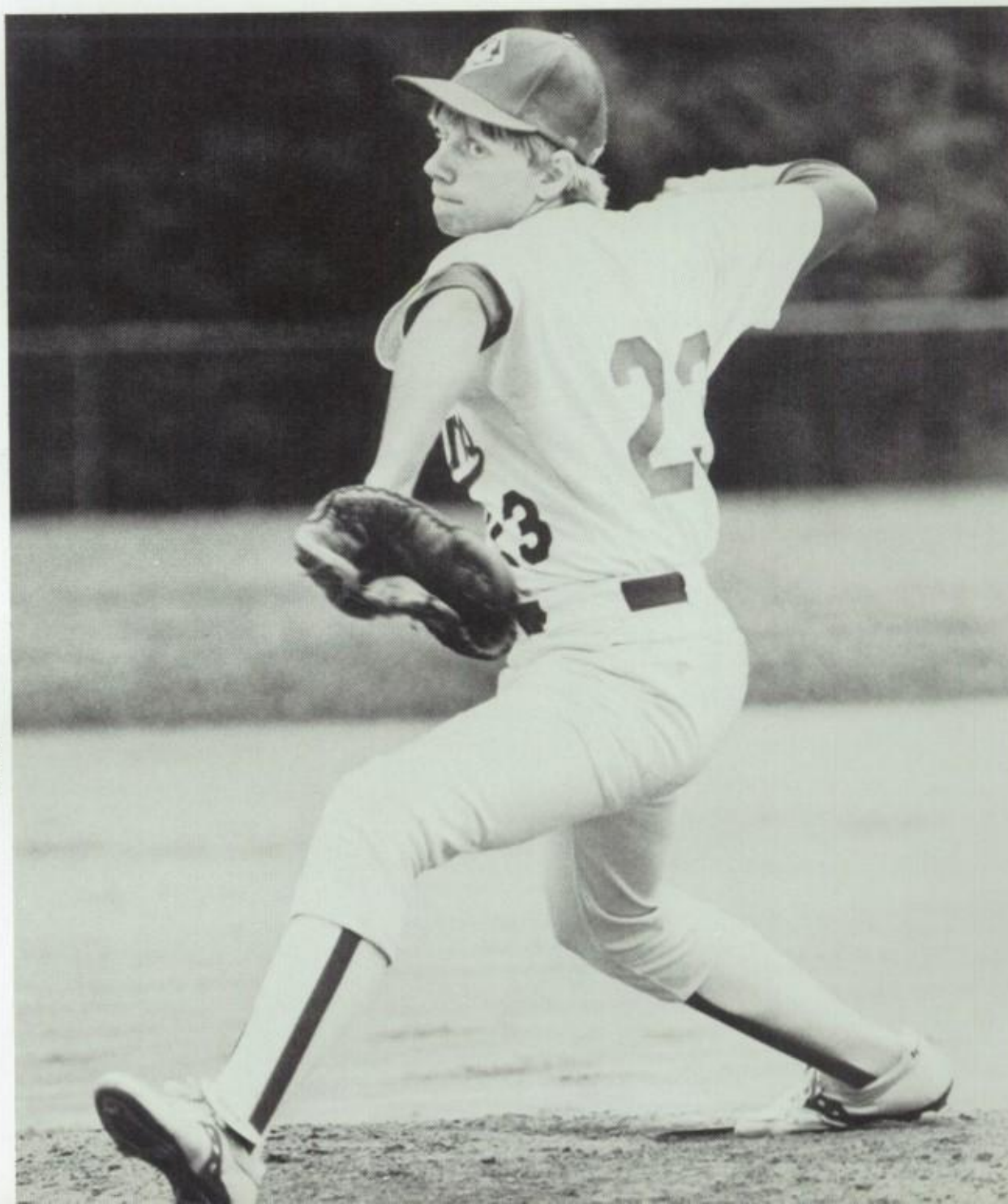


A. Miller

The Varsity Baseball Team

Matt Kirby anticipates the pitch with great concentration.

Scott Rosenschein displays the proper form for a winning pitch.



J. V. Baseball



Junior varsity baseball coach, **Paul Larson**.

Although the Junior Varsity baseball season did not go as the team had hoped, there was a lot of hard work and good effort put into every game. The team deserved a pat on the back for keeping a winning attitude throughout the season.

The attitude of the team was aided by the pitching of **Lee Stoss**. "Lee pitched well in the Watauga games, both of them," said **Kevin Houston**. Some of the others pitchers were **Eric Isenhour** and **Micheal Gerkin**.

The starting nine players were: **Eric Isenhour** at first, **Rickey Rudisill** played second, **Steven Hollar** at short-stop, **Keith Huffman** at third, **Drew Sigmon** in left field, **Kevin Houston** in center-field, **Greg Sain** in right field, **Lee Stoss** on the mound and **Mark Sigmon** was behind the plate.

Leading the team in batting averages were **Mark Sigmon** with a .411 average, closely followed by **Drew Sigmon** with a .395 average.

Freshman, **Mark Sigmon** was voted Most Valuable player. The Team-Before-Self Award went to sophomore **Andy Phelps**.



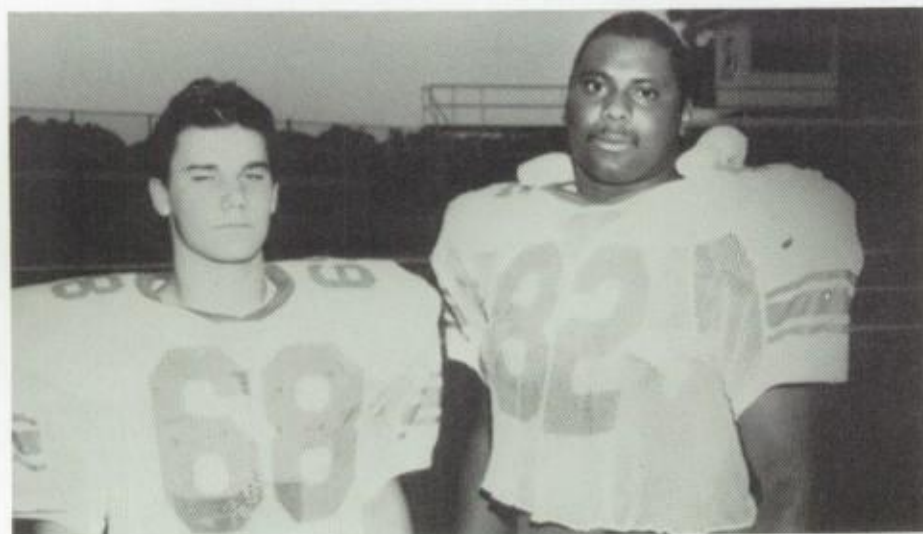
K. Houston

Dee Fry, Greg Sain, Michael Gerken, Chris Allen, Chip Little, Eric Isenhour, Kelly Isenhour, Kevin Houston, Jeff Sipe, Jimmy Kerley, Paul Queen, Darrin Reed, Coach Paul Larson, Alan Mackey, Keith Huffman, Steve Hollar, Mark Sigmon, Ricky Rudisill, Drew Sigmon, Andy Phelps, Lee Stoss, Brian Elsevier, and Brian Taylor.

All Conference



Track
Kirk Morrow, Rodney King, Scott Oaks, Mark Teague, Heath McBride, and Tracy Withers



Football
Mark Kalkwart
Frankie Jeffries



Golf
Steve Goins
David Dunmire

Cross Country

Christy Hedrick
Deidra Sigmon
Susan Rogers
Kirk Morrow
Jason Pope

Soccer

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Tennis
Brad Koser



Track
Angie Holder
Patty King



Wrestling
Steve Floyd

Tennis
Wendy Propst

Volleyball
Lisa Zimmerman
Mary Beckom
Sharon Hathcock
Melinda Clampitt

Wrestling
Doug Killian
Steve Floyd
James Carswell

Lisa Weaver covers committee responsibilities at a Juniorette meeting.

Carol Dunton attempts to toss a ball into a basket from the end of a plunger.

Maida Sigmon tries hard to complete the difficult task of getting a straw into a soda bottle.



T. Faulkner



T. Bledsoe



T. Bledsoe

Clubs

THE CROWNING TOUCH

David Bolick patiently explains the layout to Helen Spatz.

Adviser **Jane Lee** and Business Adviser **Billie Holland**.



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Advertising Staff: **Denise Lunsford**, **Shannon Rowe**, **Ms. Billie Holland**, **P. Abernathy**, and **Bryan Spencer**.

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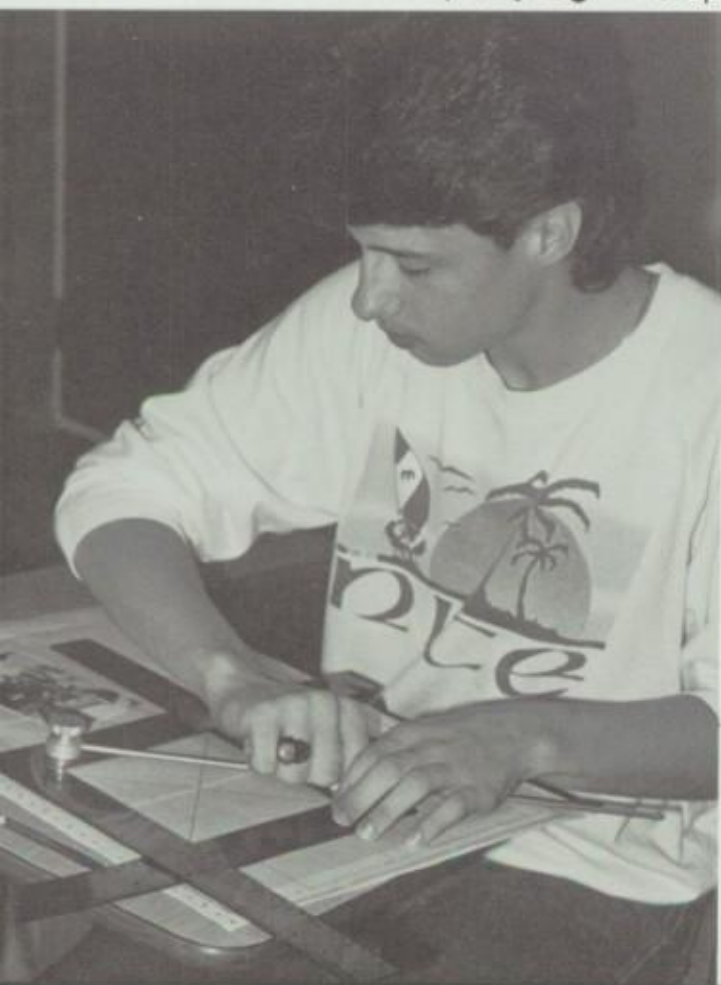
"If I don't see it, it's not done." This was the standing rule of the Corona advisor, **Jane Lee**. This year's staff worked really hard to be sure that all was done well and on time. This meant many long hours of writing, designing, taking pictures, interviewing and double-checking. All the hard work was worth the effort, especially when the yearbooks came back.

The *Corona* staff was led by **Joy Sig-**

mon, and **Mary Beckom**. These people oversaw the work and checked each page as it was completed. In addition, they put together the mini-magazine section that was new to the book this year. Section editors were **Kelly Price**, Managing Editor; **Denise Lunsford** — Business Editor; **Helen Spatz** — Clubs Editor; **Tommy St. Clair** — Sports Editor; and **Hope Propst** — People Editor. Each of them worked

with their staff to design each section with its own distinctive look. They also kept a close eye on what their staff was doing and gave help wherever needed.

Each deadline brought the book closer to completion, and the final deadline brought cheers of relief. This year's book was one of which the staff was very proud.



Eric Sain works on his next deadline by cropping his pictures.

Club Staff: **Lisa Sigmon**, **Helen Spatz**, **Laura Wheeldryer**, **Kim Johnson**, **Shane Yount**, and **Eric Sain**.



People Staff: **Scott Lail**, **Maida Sigmon**, and **David Bolick**.



Sports Staff: **Nick Kentopp**, **Tommy St. Clair**, and **Lisa Miller**.

Torch Torch Torch Torch

If you have ever had **Mrs. Karen Eades**, for a teacher, you know that when there is a Torch deadline, you had better stay out of her way. She often has frantic fits of emotion on these days. This is a lady who has borne the burden of our newspaper for five years, and it gets better every year.

Little is known about the work and effort that is involved in doing every issue of the Torch. Jamie Reese editor of the Torch this year, put hours and hours of work into the newspaper after school was over. This was no different than the other thirteen students who were on the staff.

In order to be a Torch member one must fill out an application and have a recommendation from an English teacher. The student must be in College Prep English or above, must have good English grades, and must have a strong point in writing. The Torch takes the paper to competition in the North Carolina Scholastic Press Association and the Columbia Scholastic Press Association. They usually come away with an excellent rating. Last year they won second place in the Columbia Scholastic Press, which is a national competition.

A lot of money went into an issue of the Torch. They had to pay typesetting, printing, and photography bills. In order to help pay these bills, the Torch Staff had a bake sale and a car wash. It proved to be a big success and also a lot of fun.

Being a member of the Torch staff teaches how a newspaper is put together and published. It also teaches good writing skills.

Ask any Torch member and they will tell you that even though it is a lot of hard work, there is a great joy in seeing the finished product. St. Stephens would not be the same without the timely articles and interesting pictures that the Torch has to offer. All our thanks to **Mrs. Eades** and her staff for bringing us another excellent year with the Torch.



Mike Roberts, Denise Huffman, Geoff Belcher, Lisa Zimmerman, Tim Southers, Tammie Faulkner, Melinda Clampitt, Nicole Maddox, Tamara Jolley, Wendy Propst, Vanessa McPherson, Shannon Young, Jamie Reese, Editor; Karen Eades, Adviser.



Tamara Jolley works diligently in order to meet the deadline.



P. Abernathy

Lisa Zimmerman prepares a layout for publication.

Vanessa McPherson, Melinda Clampitt, Geoff Belcher, Denise Huffman, and Tammie Faulkner show that friendship gets the job done faster.



P. Abernathy



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And now, we present the Torch Staff.

Melinda Clampitt says, "Who are these clowns?"

Impressions

Few schools have the journalistic talents that St. Stephens possesses. Our school abounds in talent. An excellent example of this was our *Impressions* Staff. These few people managed to compile the best literary works St. Stephens has to offer.

The *Impressions* Staff consisted of seven members, with **Tammie Faulkner** as the editor. Under the leadership of **Loyd Hoke**, the staff was able to create a lasting book of memoirs that will be treasured for years to come.

The book was sold near the end of the year. The staff had to sell many books in order to cover the costs of the publishing. Honors English classes were recruited to sell the literary magazine.

The *Impressions* Staff upon graduating from St. Stephens will depart with a better knowledge of what it takes to make a literary magazine. They will also take with them a knowledge of writing and journalistic skills. St. Stephens is grateful to the *Impressions* Staff for its diligent work and for creating a lasting magazine memoirs.

Lee Ann Brown and **Stephanie Lee** look like they've had a brainstorm.



Mr. Hoke points out some important reference for use in this year's *Impressions*

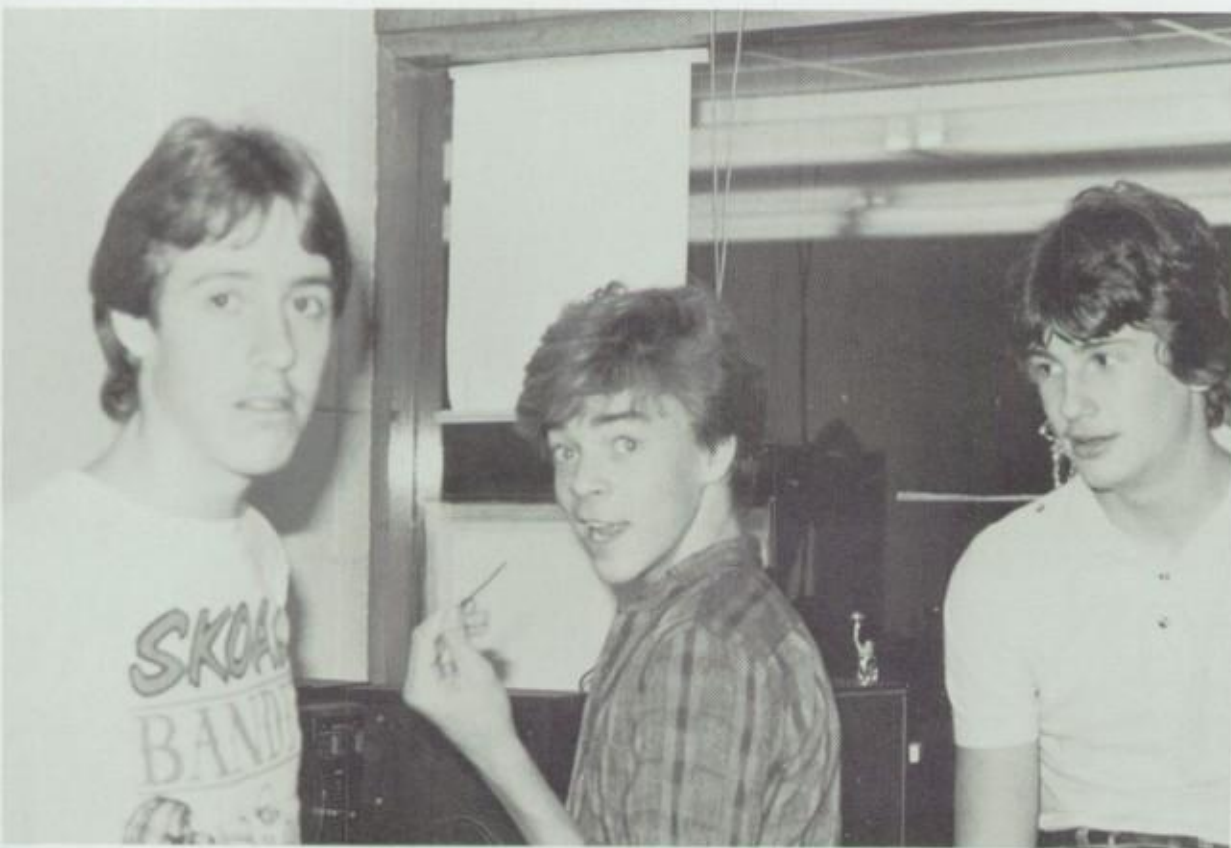


Lee Ann Brown, Lisa Zimmerman, Robbie Redden, Loyd Hoke Jr., Laura Weeldryer, Tammie Falkner, Katherine Van Horne, Stephanie Lee

Lisa Zimmerman and Robbie Redden discuss *Impressions* material.



Joe Saulnier busily prepares the recorders so they can begin on time



Patrick Abernathy

Katherine VanHorne gets the tape recorder ready for a recording

Radio Staff

One of the most loved aspects of St. Stephens was our announcements. Every student longed to hear what was happening in his or her life at St. Stephens every morning and afternoon. Whoever did these announcements day after day? At the beginning of the year everyone tried to guess who was talking on the intercom. Well, the answer to that question was the the undaunted Radio Staff. These select few devoted hours of their time in order to capture life at St. Stephens. Sure, not all people looked forward to the announcements, but without them we would have been lost.

The three advisors of the Radio Staff were **Tim Carpenter, Mary Long, and Joe Cofer**. These three people saw that a recording of events at St. Stephens was produced. The staff, which consisted of 20 people, worked many long hours while doing a recording. The tape had to be perfect, so it usually called for several takes.

The three officers of the staff were **Teresa Haas, Tammie Faulkner and Joe Saulnier**. These three students tied the staff together.

In order to be a member of the Radio Staff one had to attend the meetings, and have an interest in journalistic skills which would benefit the students in their writing and any endeavors they may seek in the future.

St. Stephens appreciated the Radio Staff. They honored St. Stephens by doing their radio show, which was always professionally written and entertaining to hear.

Alex Burnett and Robbie Redden lounge around before the recording begins

Tammie Falkner test the microphone before she begins her presentation

Student Council Student C

Being A Leader

Getting up at 5:00 a.m. to go to the retreat wasn't one of the Student Council's favorite things to do, but it ended up to be worthwhile. Student council went on a retreat at the beginning of the year and get to know each other better and to have fun. They played volleyball and other games. The retreat did succeed in getting the group closer and making new friends.

Student council was one of the most active clubs in school. They were responsible for the dances, homecoming, Christmas assembly, and a number of other things. Without student council the students would hardly ever get out of class for assembly . . . "Thanks, student council!" They also were the main organizers on the canned food drive in which St. Stephens competed against its rival Hickory High.

Being a member of student council helps a student to learn leadership qualities and to gain responsibility. These qualities become extremely necessary for life in the future. **Maida Sigmon** said, "Student Council is a good experience. It helps me to get involved with school and to know more people."

Ah-ha! **Robbie Redden, Matt Dean, and Scott Parrish** are caught attempting to primp for the girls at Lutherock.

Okay, **Mr. Simmons, and Stephanie** get up and climb that mountain.



T. Bledsoe, adviser; C. Killian, H. Livengood, L. Austin, L. Weaver, W. Scharer, C. Bowman, J. Hudson, S. Parrish, S. Rowe, S. Starnes, R. Whetzel, A. Stafford, M. Deal, J. Saulnier, H. Marshall, A. Stafford, R. Redden, A. Helton, W. Fulcher, D. Costner, M. Rockett, W. Propst, S. Minton, C. Dunton, A. Sigmon, K. Zimmerman, S. Young, C. Pendleton, L. Brown, C. Sigmon, C. Kirby, T. Throneburg, K. Price, A. Carpenter, K. Sigmon, C. Matthews, G. Wright, M. Sigmon, P. Theuson, R. King, C. Reading, and M. Daan.



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EXECUTIVE SECRETARY



Heather Livengood, Lisa Weaver, and Lala Austin just wanna have fun.

If this is how the future olympic volleyball team plays, America is in trouble.

What is **Peter Theuson** doing? It doesn't look like **Ashley Carpenter** or **Stephanie Lee** know either.

In case the Student Council wondered, "Where in the world did this food come from?" they know now.

Beta Beta Beta Beta Beta

Recognition of Excellence

The Beta Club at St. Stephens was sponsored by **Priscilla Watts, Sandra Kelly, Donna Maye, and Helen Workman.** Its purpose was to recognize outstanding achievement.

There were five steps to becoming a member of the Beta Club; complete the freshman year of high school, maintain at least a 3.5 grade point average (GPA), and complete at least two weighted courses. Also, a student should have been approved by the principal and ninety-three percent of the faculty and have exhibited exemplary behavior.

There were thirty-five seniors in the club. Also, on December 11, six seniors and thirty-one juniors were inducted. From these seventy-two members, **Diedra Sigmon, Robbie Redden, Mary Beckom, and Joey Saulnier,** were chosen as president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer, respectively.

This group met monthly to plan for upcoming fund-raising events. The money raised was used for the Beta Club Scholarship, induction service materials, and plaques for the eight "Outstanding Students." The new members were required to pay \$10.00 dues for local and national membership.

The newly-inducted students, before being considered members, had to pass the Beta Initiation. This past year the students had to dress as "Beta Babies." They came to school on December 18, dressed in diapers and pajamas. These students carried candy for senior members while exclaiming, "I'm an itty bitty Beta baby." Although the induction was somewhat degrading, new members could look back and laugh. They always were thinking about the next year's initiation and what fun it would be.

Senior Beta Club members: Robbie Redden, Joey Saulnier, Deidra Sigmon, Mary Beckom, Lala Austin, Toni Throneburg, Kim Stuart, Heather Livengood, Tiffany Lookadoo, Karen Reitzel, Julie Tallman, Joy Sigmon, Wendy Propst, Stefanie Burket, Vanessa McPherson, Mari Rockett, Lisa Zimmerman, Terri Allison, Sharon Hathcock, Bradley Smith, Darin Shook, Tamara Faulkner, Alex Burnett, Leigh Woods, Susan Starnes, Dean Cline, Matt Kirby, Kelly Price, James Reece, Scott Parrish, Darrell Paige, Scott Houston, and Mike Ludwig. The pictured advisors are Mrs. Watts and Mrs. Maye.



This is one big diaper ... for an itty bitty "baby."

Beta Beta Beta Beta Beta B



N. Kentopp

Excited new Beta Club members stand to recite the Beta pledge.

All eyes are upon **Heather Livengood** waiting to see who she will tap.

Lala Austin and **Angie Terry** make their way to the front of the gymnasium.



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Joy Sigmon tells some of the qualities that a Beta Club member should uphold.



L. Sigmon

Senior Beta Club member, **Joey Saulnier**, picks a student from the crowd.

Quill & Scroll Quill & Scr

Write On!

The Thomas Wolfe Chapter of Quill and Scroll Journalistic Society was formed to recognize and foster excellence in journalism. There were twenty members, including **Joey Saulnier**, president, **Tammy Faulkner**, vice-president, and **Robbie Redden**, secretary-treasurer. "To be a member of Quill and Scroll one must be outstanding in journalism, in the top one-third percent of the junior/senior class, and nominated by a teacher," said **Ms. Hoke** and **Ms. Eades**, the advisors.

The club participated in an annual National Writing Competition. Last year, **Patty King**, class of '85, won in features writing.

Members participated in a car wash and usedbook sales. Members received a magazine concerning the latest trends in high-school journalism.

Denise Lunsford finishes up her work for corona.



Jamie Reese, Lisa Zimmerman, Vanessa McPherson, Katherine Van Horne, Geoff Belcher, and Denise Lunsford pile on the couch to proof each other's work.



P. Abernathy



E. Sam

Shane Yount and **Laura Weeldreyer** attempt to explain a poem to **Kelly Price**.

Tammie Faulkner, vice president, is in deep thought about her essay.



Members of Quill and Scroll.

Thespians Thespians The



Thespians: **A. Sandlin**, **L. Weeldreyer**, **Ms. Wakefield**, **J. Cloninger**, **K. Weiner**, **S. Rowe**, **P. Abernathy** (inactive), **D. McCarley**, **W. Scharer**, **M. Stone**, and **J. Hall**.

The Elite Few

The National Thespian Society is an honor society for people involved in theatre. To be inducted into the troupe, one must earn a total of ten points by attending plays, working backstage, reading plays, and performances.

Many of St. Stephens Thespians had written and directed independent projects. **Deb McCarley** and **Anita Sandlin**, **Laura Weeldreyer** and **Patrick Abernathy** all produced their own reader's theatres, a type of theatre that involved little costuming or technical work, and the actors held a script, actually reading the play to the audience.

Every person involved in the theatre worked toward becoming a Thespian. Throughout one's whole life, he or she will be recognized for his or her work in drama.

Thespian troupe 3462, **Deb Wakefield**, advisor, has long been a part of community theatre. It is rare to see a play in Hickory without seeing some involvement from the Thespians, whether it is on stage or back stage.

Thespians, a talented few of St. Stephens students, should be recognized for their devotion to their art, and their secret dreams of winning an Oscar.

The envelope please . . .



Several Thespians meet in the library to rehearse a play.

Laura Weeldreyer looks perplexed as **Shannon Rowe** and **Kathleen Wiener** try to help with a staging problem.

Shannon Rowe and **Kathleen Wiener** practice their lines.

French French French

Le Cercle Francais

Qu'est-ce qui etait le Cercle Francais? It was about 13% of the school. Yes, the French Club was one of the largest clubs at SSHS with 150 members. The advisors, **Ms. Burleson** and **Ms. Aundrea Long**, said, "The purpose of our club is to promote the French culture." They did a good job of this, with the help of **Toni Throneburg**, **Mary Beckom**, and **Kelly Sigmon**, president, vice-president, and secretary, respectively.

In order to be a member, one should have been in a French class or have completed the French IV course.

The club sponsored a Mardi Gras, pen pals, bingo parties, magazines, Foreign Language Week, and, new this year, a doughnut sale. They sold an outstanding 1,065 dozen doughnuts.

Also, in June of 1985, twelve of the club students made an exciting journey to Europe, where they spent a glorious thirteen days.

It is plain to see that these people enjoy studying the French culture, and they don't seem to mind studying the food either.



"I ain't afraid of no ghost," exclaims **Tina Wright** ghostbuster, during Foreign Language Week.



During the French Club Mardi Gras, you will find yourself doing some wild things, as these people found out.

French French French



E. Sain

se students attempt to find their way around the "London Tubes" with the help of a hotel map.



S. McCaughan

Addie Sigmon, Kim Anderson, and Eric Sain enjoy the lovely mountains in Eze. Eze was one of the sites that the students visited on the trip last summer to Europe.



H. Lockey

Members of the French Club.

Spanish Spanish Spanis

Spanish Club

The word "Hola" was probably the most used Spanish word at St. Stephens. People who did not even take Spanish were heard saying it through the halls, even if they didn't know how to pronounce it correctly. The 1985-86 Spanish club had another great year.

The Spanish club was led by three very enthusiastic advisors, **Jackie Daughton, Jane Lee, and Monica Winter.** These three ladies helped a huge number of people to further understand the value of the Spanish language.

The Spanish club also had enthusiastic officers, who saw that the many club activities were a success. The officers were **Andrea Poovey**, President; **Matt Dean**, vice-president; and **Jennifer Jones** as the secretary/treasurer.

The Spanish club did many fun activities, such as going to a local Mexican restaurant for dinner, going to see Spanish plays or performances, and having the annual Foreign Language Day at Lenoir-Rhyne College. While at the college, they sang, danced, and performed skits. It proved to be an exciting day for everyone.

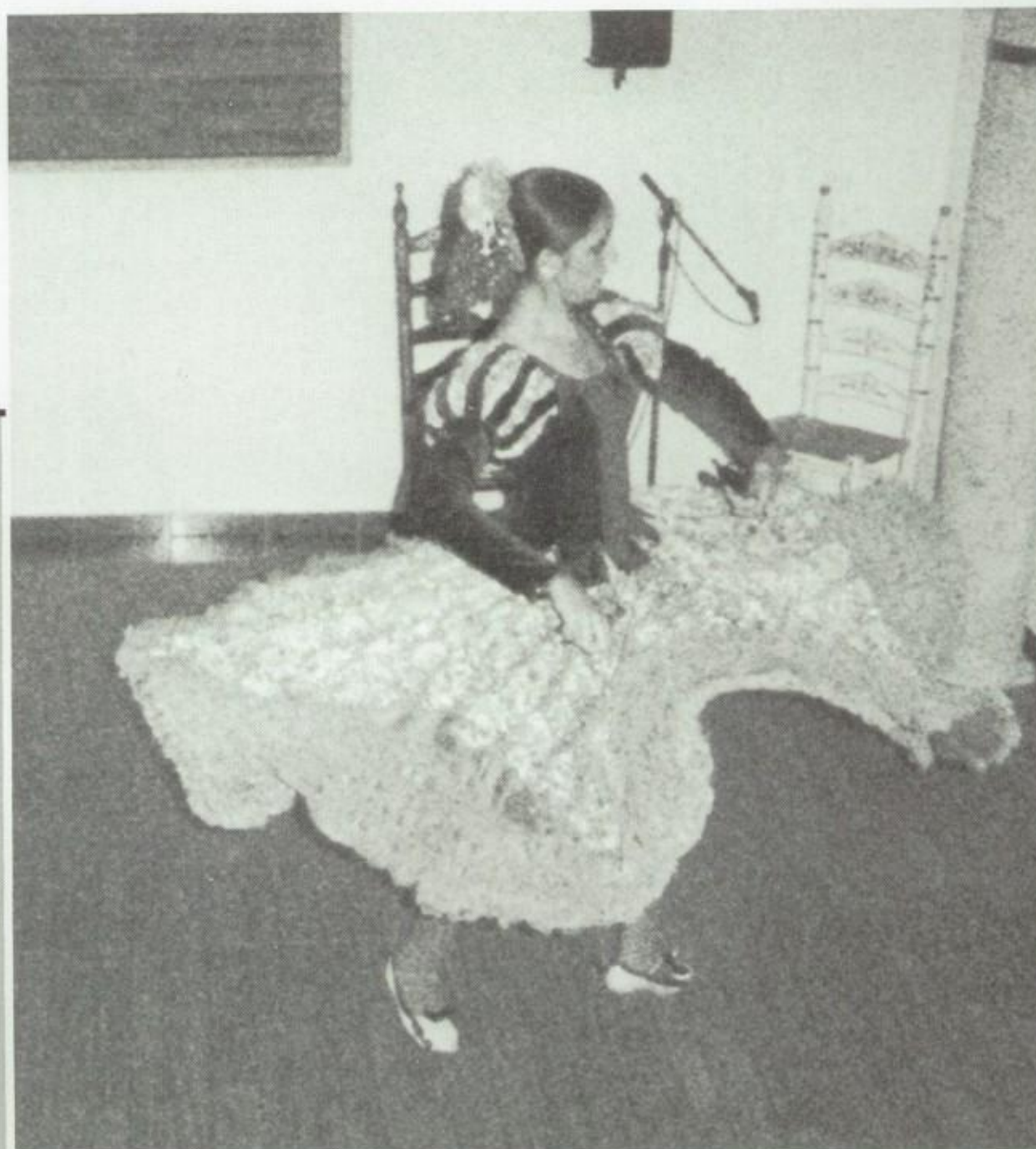
The Spanish club gives a scholarship every year to two lucky students. Last year's recipients were **Patty King** and **Lorraine Lee.**

In order for one to be a member of the Spanish club, one must be enrolled in a Spanish course, and have a C average. The members are recruited through the Spanish classes. The Spanish club had over 100 members, and they sold candy for their fundraiser. The club met during the activity period and representatives from the Spanish classes reported back to the rooms to tell the other members about the plans for the future.

This year's Spanish club was composed of active members and enthusiastic advisors. That combined made for an excellent year.



The members of the Spanish Club



A Spanish Flamenco dancer was one of the cultural experiences seen on the Spanish trip

Spanish Spanish Spanish



Our European travelers enjoy a meal at the Plaza Mayor in Madrid.

Mike Isenhour and **Jamie Reece** do their rendition of "To All the Girls" by Julio Iglesias and Willie Nelson



One of Spain's favorite attractions is the Alcazar Castle in Segovia.

Mike Roberts shows his delight of the abundance of fine Spanish cuisine prepared by other Spanish club chefs.

THE CHRISTIAN WAY

"Peer Pressure is good!", replied **Dwight Stone**, who was one of the guest speakers at an FCA meeting. Throughout the year, FCA had many guest speakers who talked to the students about various subjects, but mainly about peer pressure to drink and to take drugs. The speakers talked about how students should set their lives right now, and not to wait until they get older to live the Christian way.

Chip Reading smiles, thinking, "Hey! This stuff is a breeze!"

Scottie Houston, an officer of FCA, and **Mark Huffman** talk about who went out with whom Friday night.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes is an organization where athletes join together. They have two things in com-

mon: they are Christians and they are athletes. The club wants to help their Christian life grow and to spread the word to others. The club met once a month at night and during school. The meetings consisted of prayer and devotion, and afterwards refreshments.

This year the club also sold M & M's to raise money for various activities.



L. Miller



The Fellowship of Christian Athletes

MONOGRAM MONOGRAM

EARNING RECOGNITION

Watching **Deanna Huffman, Sally Bradshaw,** and **Sandra Kelly** run around a basketball court was quite amusing for St. Stephens' students who attended the annual basketball games sponsored by the Monogram Club. The basketball games were held to raise money for the club. Teachers versus students made the games very interesting. For refreshments the varsity

cheerleaders sold scrumptious baked goods that had been made by their own inexperienced hands, but profits were made anyway. All money that was made was spent only on projects that the club tackled. Usually the projects were in some way to improve the school grounds.

To become a member of Monogram, one must have a letter, which

can be obtained through any varsity sport. The club's purpose is to recognize and promote all those who are active in varsity sports. Monogram appreciates all those who practiced long hours, sweat, and go through the pain of playing a sport for St. Stephens High.

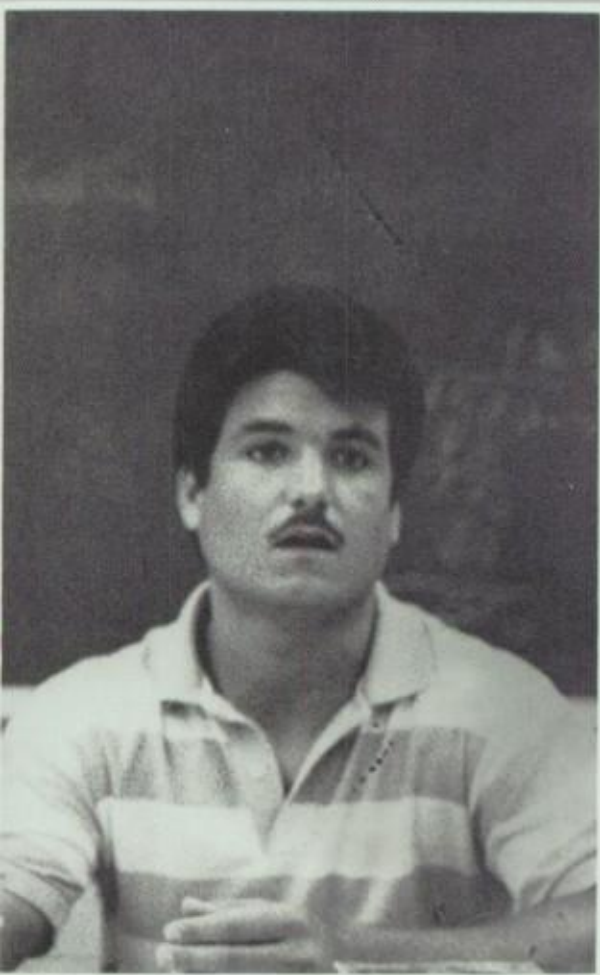
Kirk Morrow, president of Monogram, tries to take the easy way out so that he doesn't have to talk at the next meeting.



S. Sigmon



L. Miller



T. St. Clair



L. Lockey

Cheerleading is just one the extra-curricular activities a person can be involved in to join Monogram club. "At least you can smile a littiel!"

Darel Reese, one of the advisors of Monogram, looks distraught when he sees the kids that he has to keep quiet for the next thirty minutes of the Monogram meeting.

Members of the 1985-86 Monogram Club.

The Unknown Side Of Government

Have you ever heard of seen something about the government that you just didn't understand?

Well, now that question can be answered by a group of St. Stephens students who are members of the Close-Up Club.

The Close-Up Club is not only a local or State-club but rather a National-club, formed for the sole purpose of studying government on the three levels: local, state and national.

The club's officers were **Matt Dean**, President, **Robbie Redden**, Vice-President, **Chris Whitson**, 2nd Vice-President, **Christy Killian**, Secretary, and **Lisa Sigmon**, Treasurer.

In December members attended the Catawba Day in Hickory to study businesses and in May the Club members journeyed to Washington for a week to tour the Capital close up.



Christy Killian, Chris Whitson and Lisa Sigmon look over the agenda of the upcoming meeting.

President **Matt Dean** presides over the monthly meetings.

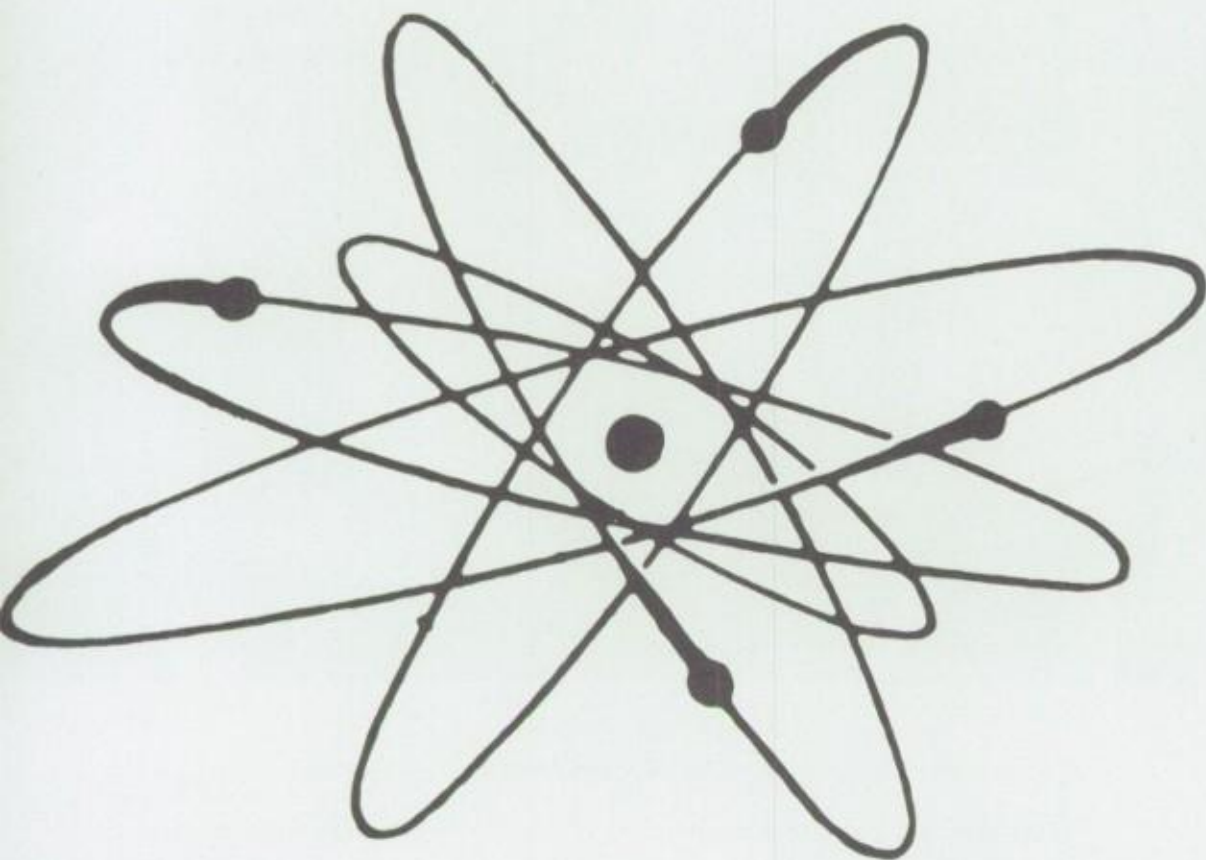
The members of the club learn the correct parliamentary procedures.

The St. Stephen's 85-86 Close-Up Club.



Sand Sand Sand Sand

Nuclear War, Tomorrow's Future?



Nuclear war was one of the major issues of 1985, and a new club that appeared at St. Stephens was Students Against Nuclear Disaster (SAND).

The purpose of SAND was to educate people in the area of nuclear power and to offer some alternatives to the growing problem.

The club consisted of about fifty-five members and were advised by **Mr. Lester Moats**, a physical science teacher at St. Stephens.

Each club member did research about nuclear power and wrote letters to try to inform the general public of the problems facing the world today.



Club advisor **Lester Moats**

The 1985-86 SAND Club members.

Mother Nature At Work

Working together was one of the big accomplishments of the Biology Club this year.

They went to Carowinds, canoeing, hiking and even tackled the slopes at Sugar Mountain Ski Resort. These activities were designed to get members to appreciate nature.

The Biology Club was also active in fund raisers. This year they sold candy and Christmas items to raise money for their annual trip to Camp Broadstone.

Even though there were over two-hundred members only a small portion were active; but through determination and working together these members managed to keep to the true purpose of the club.

The '85-'86 St. Stephens' Biology Club.



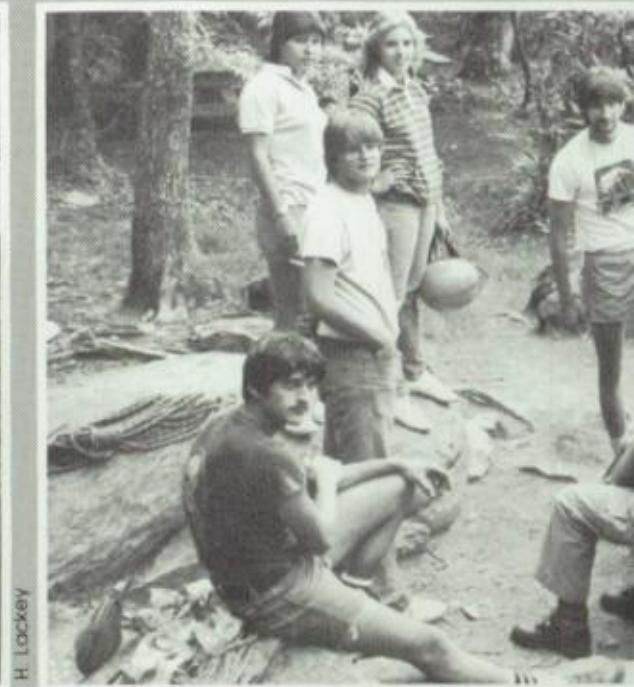
Biology members look on as **Mr. Brooks** explains the ropes.

Todd Metcalf and **Chris Whitson** demonstrate their expert skiing positions.

Lisa Miller and **Dan Williams** show off their ability to stand in line on skies.



F. Brooks



H. Lockett



F. Brooks

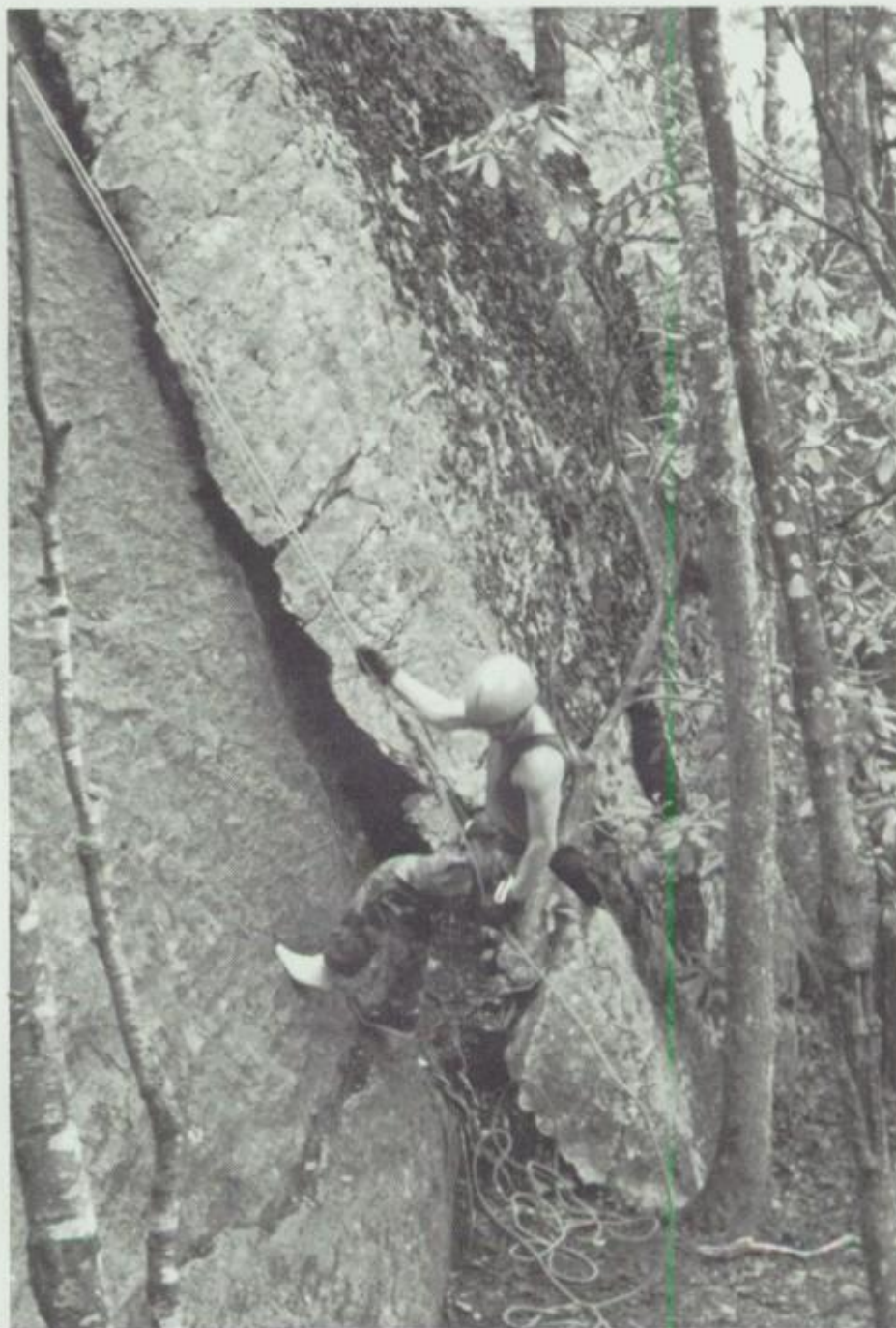
While being watched by an instructor, **John Lutz** descends down the side of the cliff.

John Wilson and **Nicole Maddox** show their canoeing skills on the New River.

In trying to find his shoe, **Dan Flowers** descends down the rock. Do you see his shoe?



F. Brooks



F. Brooks

Rock climbers take a breather after a long day of rock climbing.

Mr. Brooks shows the right procedure for balancing on a board.



F. Brooks



F. Brooks

NATURE LOVERS

If you liked science experiments, nature, or just science in general, this was the club for you. Students learned many new fascinating things about science in the club.

This year the science club was advised by **Lester Moats** and **Dennis Grossnickle**. Stretching the knowledge of science was the main objective of the Science Club.

The president of the club this year was senior, **Scott Parish**. Junior, **Rodney King** was the secretary/treasurer. The senior vice-president was **Matt Dean**.

A large majority of the thirty-six members in the Science Club were very active.

The science club scheduled events that reached beyond the classroom work.

For the members that were interested there was a Regional Science Fair at Lenoir-Rhyne College.

Meetings were held the last Tuesday of each month in room 108.



Blinded by science



"We're not going up there!"



Superman? No, it's just junior **Michael Elm** practicing his most famous stunt.

MATH MATH MATH MATH



Math Club: K. Price, J. Saulnier, J. Isenhour, J. Pope, S. Lee, J. Brown, M. Deal, M. Yeuh, W. Newton, J. Burns, B. Hauk, J. Killian, A. Gather, S. Morton, J. Robinson, T. Eckard, C. Mayberry, D. Dan, J. Bolik, E. Powell, M. Jackson, J. Seagle, M. Jetton, S. Johnson, D. Coffey, B. Decker, J. Miller, A. Burlton, D. Reed, W. VanHorne, A. DeVenney, M. Lail, C. Cook, P. Abernathy, M. Amstutz, D. VanHorne, A. Setzer, J. Benton, and R. Lee

Do you know how to add, subtract, multiply and divide? Do you know what $a^2 + bx + c^3 = 0$ means? Can you solve this problem? If you can, you should have been in the Math Club.

During their monthly meetings in Mrs. Mayes room, members talked about future activities and careers involving mathematic skills.

The Math Club has kept very busy this year. They went to Charlotte to visit Discovery Place, and competed in St. Jude's Marathon to raise money. Another way that they raised money was by having a bake sale. Also, they visited an Observatory. Mu Alpha Theta is the national society the club is in. National members of this club are **Kelly Price, Joey Saulnier** and **Jason Pope**. **Jeff Isenhour** is St. Stephens associate member.

Among the forty members were senior **Kelly Price**, president; junior **Jeff Isenhour**, sophomore **Stephanie Lee**, secretary; senior **Joey Saulnier**; junior **Jason Pope** was the reporter.

Donna Maye, Julia Hudson, Mickie Foster and **Jeanette DeVenney** were the four advisors this year.



Mrs. Maye seemed happy after a math club meeting.



I'd rather be in Math.

Quiz Bowl Quiz Bowl Quiz

Trivial Pursuers

Do you know who draws the cartoon, "The Far Side?" Do you know who wrote *The Color Purple*? How about who won a gold medal for men's track in the 1984 Olympics?

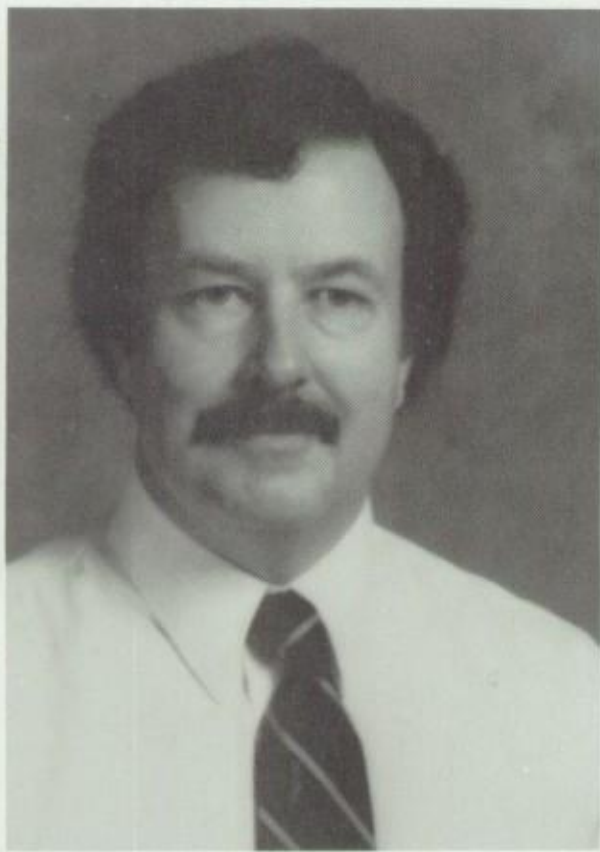
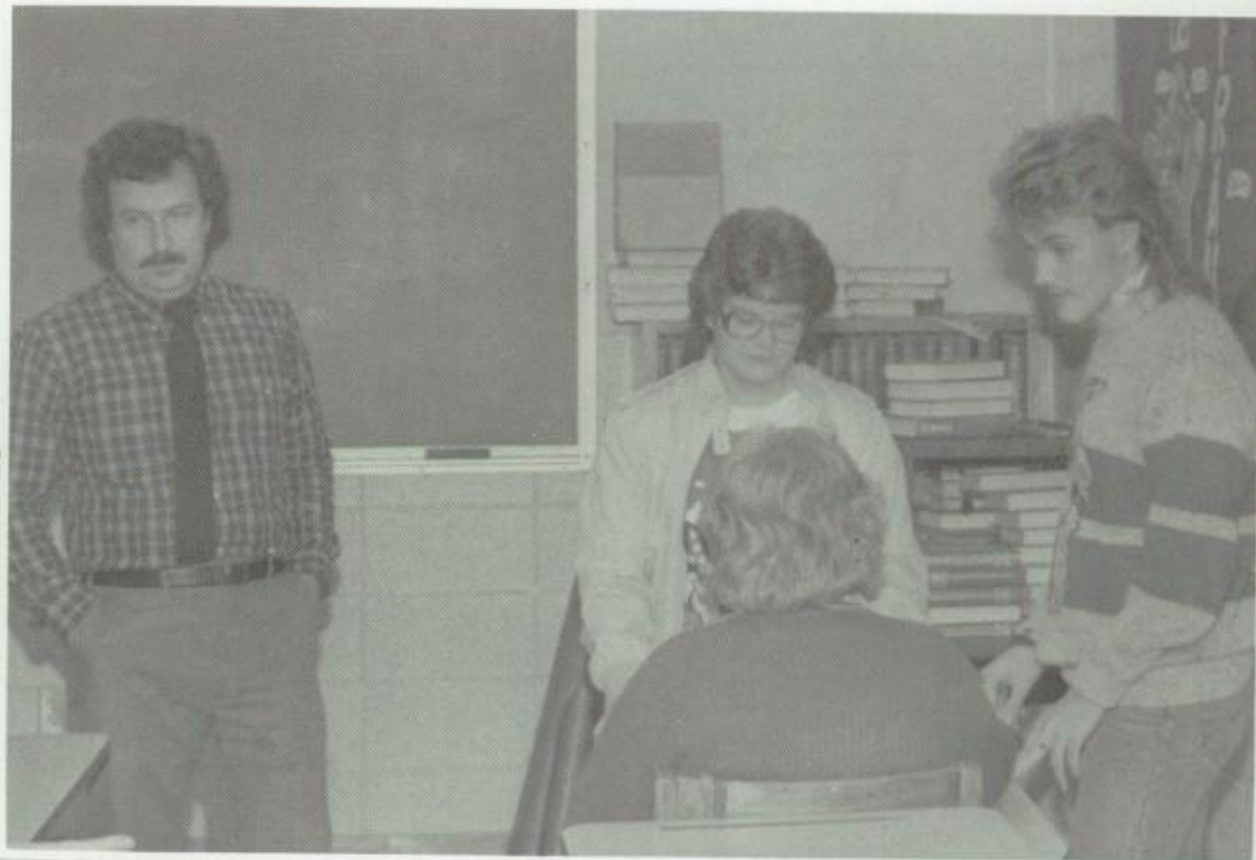
These are just a few sample questions you might be asked if you were a member of the St. Stephens High School Quiz Bowl team. Last year's team, made up of **Chad Young**, captain, **Jenny Cloniger**, **Kelly Sigmon**, **Heather Kane**, **Laura Weeldreyer** and **Laura Woodby**, alternates, all agreed that it really helped to have a wide range of knowledge and the ability to think fast. Sports, current events, literature, math, and North Carolina were just a few of the subjects they might be quizzed on.

As in the past, the St. Stephens Quiz Bowl team had an excellent year. The team has always been regarded as one of the best in the county. Quiz Bowl has always been and will continue to be an example of some of our school's finest intellectual ability and some very gifted students.

As **Kelly Sigmon** said, "You have to really make the commitment, but it's worth it."



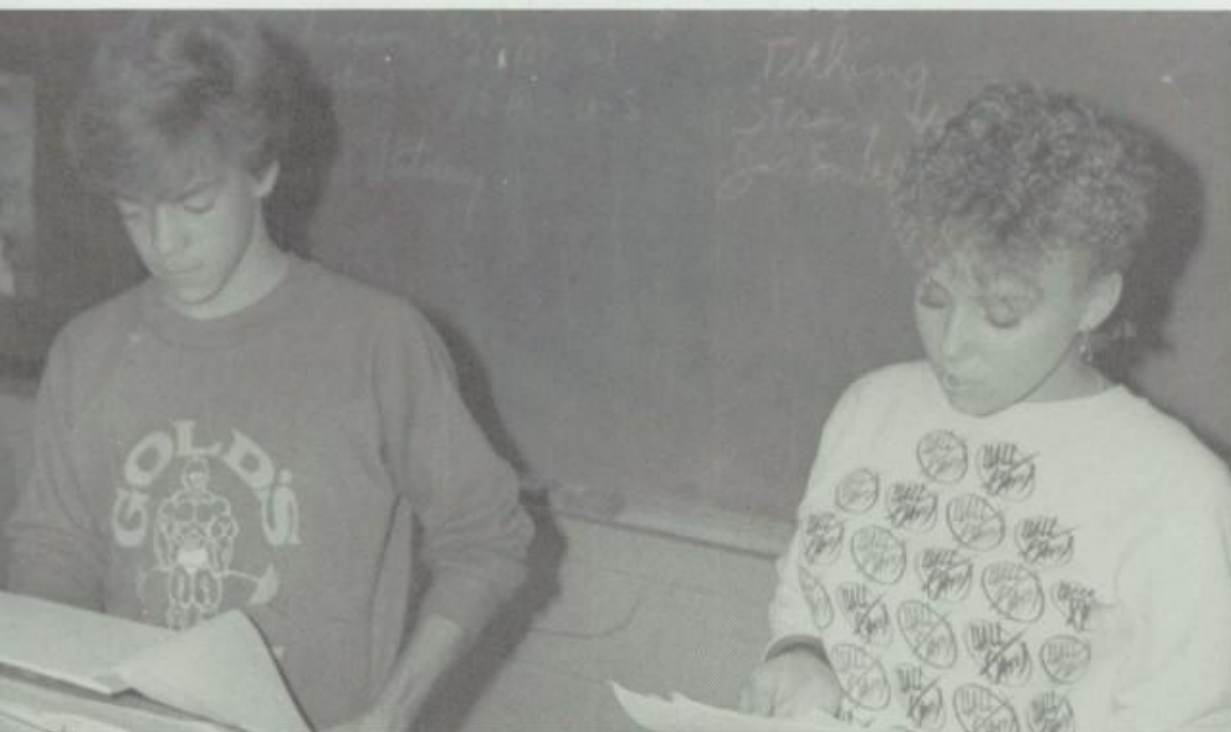
Members of the Quiz Bowl team astonish **Kelly Sigmon** with the answer to a difficult question.



Mr. Crawford, advisor.

During a practice session, the team gathers with **Mr. Crawford** to share information.

Laura Woodby explains an answer to **Laura Weeldreyer**.



M. Beckom



M. Beckom



H. Lockey

Worthy Opinions

Katherine Van Horne said, "My favorite thing about debate is the exhilaration of trapping someone in a cross examination, getting them to say one thing and have them to take it back."

If you can talk clearly in front of a group of people, think fast on your feet and handle getting really nervous before a tournament, you might enjoy debating. During class, the ten members of the debate team spent time researching topic with manuals that they ordered and working on cases and plans. Toni Throneburg was the president, Robbie Redden was the vice-president, and Mr. Andrew was the advisor.

On November 23rd, the debate team traveled to Appalachian State University for competition. The tension had been building for weeks. "Two weeks before the tournament, I usually start getting really nervous. I worry alot," commented Katherine Van Horne. The team had been preparing for this tournament for weeks and now, in a matter of hours their work and dreams could be blown away, but that was part of the learning process.

The St. Stephens High School debate team spoke out and spoke out well. There were always defeats, but that only made the joy of victory sweeter. And when they met their rare defeats, we knew they would come back bigger and stronger the next time.

A picture may be worth a thousand words, but in the case of our debate team, that is not so!

Robbie Redden and **Toni Throneburg** state their position on the topic.

Toni Throneburg, **Robbie Redden**, **Adrian Kuropas**, and **Katherine Van Horne** share their research.

The Debate team: **R. Redden**, **Mr. Andrew**, **T. Throneburg**, **J. Pope**, **K. Van Horne**, **A. Kuropas**, **B. Irving**, **K. Weiner**, **H. Hicks**, **J. Plekarski**, and **S. Beard**.

M. Beckom

Junioresses Junioresses

Civic-minded Women of the 80's

The Junioress Club is a community civic club but is also sponsored by the school. The club consisted of about fifty female members.

Over the year the club was involved in various activities such as donating toys to the Western Carolina Center, Collecting for UNICEF, and working with the Cooperative Christian Ministry.

This past summer twenty girls attended the Statewide Jamboree at Peace College in Raleigh. Three girls from St. Stephens were elected to state officers: **Tammie Faulkner**; State President, **Lisa Sigmon**; State Homelife Chairman, and **Angel Collins**; State Public Affairs Chairman.

Because of the determination and cooperation of the club was one of the most active at St. Stephens.

St. Stephens Junioresses enjoy trip to Raleigh.

Club members raid the kitchen for a snack before the meeting starts.

The '85-'86 St. Stephens' Junioresses.

President **Toni Throneburg** informs club members of upcoming events.



Pep Pep Pep Pep Pep Pep



Enthusiasm For A Victory

Enthusiasm is definitely one of the characteristics of the members of the St. Stephens Pep Club.

The purpose of the club was to cheer the teams of St. Stephens on and to lift the spirits of the student body.

School spirit and a loud voice were the only requirements to become a club member.

The club members got together at all the home games to cheer our team on to a victory.

Go Big Red!!!

T. Punch



T. Punch



Members of the Varsity football team show the cheerleaders a thing or two about cheering them on to a victory.

The Class of 87' shows its school spirit and enthusiasm at the Homecoming Pep Rally.

Students cheer for a victory in the upcoming Homecoming game against the Wolves.

The '85-'86 St. Stephens High School Pep Club.

H. Lockey

Interact Interact Interact

The Action-Packed Club

"I call this meeting to order," said **Julie Tallman**, president of the St. Stephens High Interact club. She had a lot of help getting her point across from **Stephanie Lee**, vice-president, **Ann Stafford**, secretary/treasurer, and **Paula Rhinehart**, historian.

The purpose of the club was to help with the betterment of the community through service work. **Mr. David Thomas** and **Ms. Pat Beard**, the advisors, helped this group of students sponsor the Student of the Month and Teacher of the Quarter Awards. These are awards given to students for being outstanding in many fields.

For a fund raiser the club sold candy and planned a bake sale/car wash.



Club Members: S. Lee, J. Tallman, A. Stafford, P. Reinhardt, A. Bucannan, A. Burton, A. JK. Huffman, J. Hicks, J. Propst, J. Bolick, **Mr. Thomas**, M. Sebastine, L. Dancy, L. Woodby, L. Rathbone, C. Baker, M. Stone, A. Stubbs, H. Marshall, E. Sain, K. Price, pose in front of the school near the murals.



Julie Tallman tells these members of the Interact Club some of the upcoming events.

Eric Sain tells a future member, **Sandy Herman**, the advantages to joining the Interact Club.



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Community Spirited Club



These Key Club members decide to take some notes, in case they forgot some important dates.

The Key Club was here at St. Stephens, and in spite of its small membership, ten people, it took on a lot of responsibility. The Key Club helped students meet members of the Kiwanis Club, become aware of the "real world" problems, and have a chance to improve the community.

During the year, they helped Duke Power Company and winterized the homes of area elderly adults. For this, they received donations from the area Kiwanis Club.

The members of the club were required to have a "C" average, and attend a weekly meeting with **Mr. Moore**, the adviser. Along with **Mr. Moore**, **Gary Duncan**, president, **Shannon Hollar**, vice-president, and **Michelle Bright**, treasurer, all tried to recruit new members.

Robert Corriher takes the needed time to search for just the right book to finish the article. He is assisted by another Key Club member.

Gary Duncan, Key Club president, listens to **Mr. Moore** for helpful fund raising suggestions.



No Autographs, Please!

Lights, camera, action, roll'em! The St. Stephens Drama Club stepped into the spotlight.

In 1984 the St. Stephens Theatre group presented "Snoopy!" at the Hickory Community Theatre. The comedy-musical was a big success. In 1985, it was "A Thurber Carnival", a series of comic sketches by James Thurber. The cast included **Walt Scharer, Robbie Redden, Patrick Abernathy, Tommy Hall, Laura Weeldryer, Anita Sandlin, Shannon Rowe, and Marih Stone. Kathleen Wiener** was the stage manager, and it was directed by **Ms. Deb Wakefield**. "It was the experience of a lifetime!", the cast exclaimed.

The play was always a big fund raiser, but the drama club also relied on candy sales and make-up booths to raise money for royalties, costumes and productions.

The officers were **Kathleen Wiener**, President, **Jenny Cloninger**, Vice-President, **Laura Weeldreyer**, Secretary and **Anita Sandlin**, Treasurer. They met during club B meetings and dues were one dollar. One had to participate in at least one activity each quarter such as a workshop or reading a play.

As one of the up-and-coming clubs at St. Stephens, the Drama Club was very active this year. They held workshops, attended plays, and parties and even produced some original material.

Laura Scharer and **Shannon Rowe** are caught in a dramatic pose.

Laura Weeldreyer and **Kelly Sigmon** discuss an upcoming audition.



Members of the Drama Club.



Several Art Club members work together during a meeting.



A Brush With Creativity

Students in the Art Club at St. Stephens sometimes wondered if Rembrandt started out this way. They put many long hours into their unique projects. Working with **Mr. Goodnight**, the advisor, was working in a high-pressured creative atmosphere and the results showed just that — creativity. The St. Stephens High School Art Club has long been noted for its outstanding art program, and many art students have been recognized for their work.

But it was not all fun and games. What most people don't realize that the art doesn't stop in the classroom. "Long, hard hours at home each night, sweat and tears all went into each one of my projects.", remarked **Katherine Hutchinson**, an art club member.

Mr. Goodnight is highly respected for his artistic talent and his students were impressed with his knowledge.

With all the talent and dedication in the art club, we can be expecting some great things in the future. Watch out, Picasso!



Members help each other to finish their projects..

Mat Amstutz is hard at work on his drawing.

Members of the Art Club.

M. Beckom

M. Beckom

H. Lackey

SADD SADD SADD SADD

Don't Drink And Drive

"It's none of our business if you drink, but once you get behind the wheel, you make it our business," said one member of SADD.

One of the most important clubs at St. Stephens this year was the SADD club, or Students Against Driving Drunk.

This year there were fifty students involved with this club. The president was **Debra Duckett**. **Mr. Thomas** and **Ms. Eades**, the advisers, helped **Debra** encourage the members to sell candy as a fund raiser. They also tried to keep drunken drivers off the road, not to tell people not to drink. Also, the club invited guest speakers to the meetings.

For a long time, the death rate by drunken drivers has been on an uprise, but with the St. Stephens SADD chapter, we can correct it. Remember, the life you save may be your own.

Members of SADD pay close attention to their adviser during a lecture.

Debra Duckett, president, explains the importance of the club to members.



SADD members include: Lisa Zimmerman, Robbie Redden, Debra Duckett, Mari Rockett, Teresa Hass, Chip Readling, Sarah McCaughan, Cathy Duckett, Mary Reynolds, Eric Sain, Laura Weeldreyer, Kelly Sigmon, Amy Miller, Stefanie Burket, Lorie Fox, Andrea Stubbs, Heidi VonDohlen, Lisa Von Dohlen, Lisa Miller, Delane Costner, Lee Anne Brown, Malinda Deal, Taisha Baird, Melodie Simmons, Jennifer Bowman, Mariah Stone, Ann Stafford, Paula Reinhardt, Chris Whittaker, Dee Dee Young, Donna Johnson, Tresa Allison, Michelle Metz, Amy Bangle, Heather Cook, Keith Petty, Brian Carter, Nancy Collins, Sandy Herman, Sonya Lail, Rhonda Lee, Jason Bradshaw, Amanda Westby, Tiffany Lookadoo, Kathy Collins, Leslie Ridye, Davina Vanhorn, Cristy Mayberry, Susan Johnson, Janet Lutz, Wendy Hoke, Chris Simmons, and Beth Lottin.



Bus drivers Bus drivers

Practicing Safety First



Our buddy, **Mr. Harris**, would like to know why he is getting all of the attention. Is it because they like you so much, or do they want something?

Neither rain, sleet, snow, nor hail kept St. Stephens' bus drivers from their rounds. "The bus drivers are here to provide safe transportation for the students in our area," said **Mr. Larry Harris**, assistant principal. "Also, bus-driving is a learning and growth experience as these young men and women accepted the responsibility for transporting our students to and from school," he added.

However, it's not all business. Last April, three of our drivers were involved in a Bus Rodeo. This was held in Newton for drivers across the county to show off their "safe" driving skills in competition.

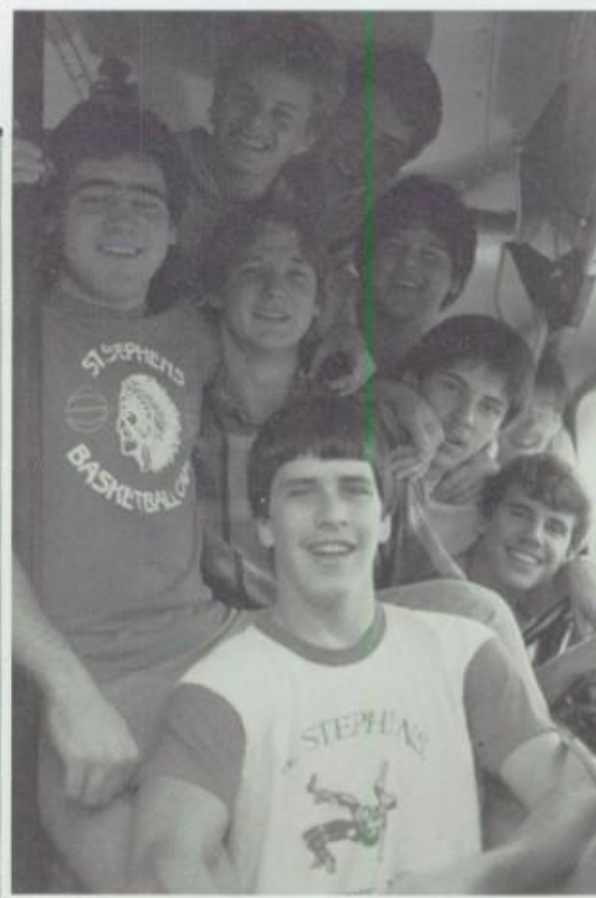
To become a bus driver, one must be certified by a state written and driving exam and by a personal conference with **Mr. Harris**.

"Sometimes I didn't like getting up at 5:30 in the morning to come to school and **try** to start my cold bus, but later you realize that it is worth it. It's a dirty job, but somebody's got to do it," stated one bus driver.

The bus drivers should be thanked for the outstanding job they did this year.

M. Beckom

All aboard for Hickory, the entertainment capital of the world.



M. Beckom

Busdrivers: Jim Kerley, Nick Kentopp, Matt Dean, Phillip Bunton, Scott Hubbard, Todd Turner, Todd Martin, Mark Setzer, Scott Gay, John Wilson, Jimmy Withers, Jeff Powell, Tim Hewitt, Mike Wagner, John Lutz, Derek Sprecht, Dusty Poe and Kevin Carpenter.

M. Beckom

The Business Starts Here.

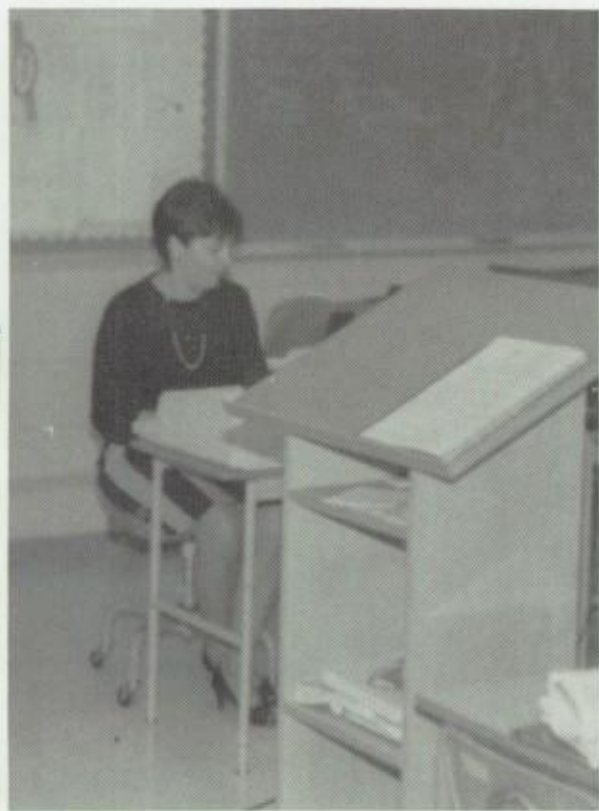
Have you ever been in a business course? Well, if your answer is yes FBLA was a club for you.

The Future Business Leaders of America was a club for anyone interested in business.

The purpose of the club was to provide additional opportunities for high school students in business and office education to develop vocational and career supportive competencies and to promote civic and personal responsibility.

The club consisted of about seventy-five members who attended both District and State levels of competitive events dealing with business courses.

Through determination and co-operation the club continued its great success in competitions.



D. Bolick

Club Officers: **Larry Bradshaw, Kim Lafone, Michelle Moore, and Dana Reese** represent the club well.

Club Advisor, **Mrs. Poovey**, diligently works on club membership papers.

As a business class teacher, Mrs. Varnedoe makes an excellent FBLA advisor.

The '85-'86 St. Stephens High School FBLA Club.





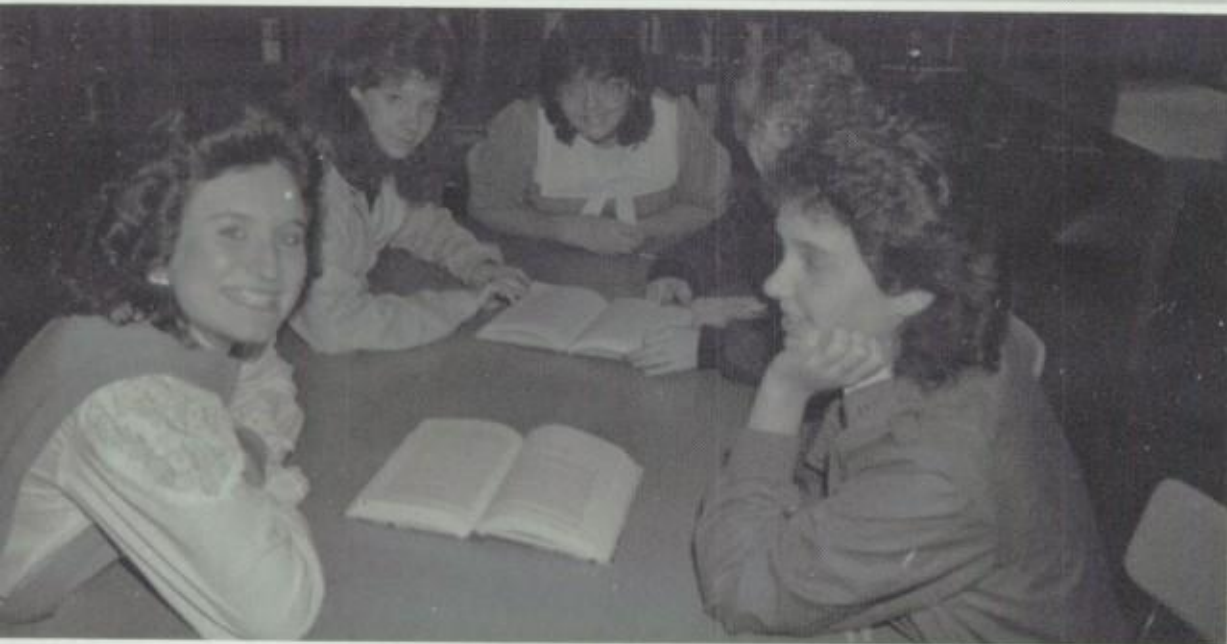
Education In the Making

Education? To most people that word only means going to school five days a week, but to the fifteen members of FTA it meant much more.

The purpose of Future Teachers of America is to give support to education.

This past year the club members attended both Regional and State conventions.

The main fund-raiser of the club was selling candy; the money was used to give gifts to retired teachers and to hold teachers' teas.



Club members show that studying education can be lots of fun.

Mrs. Bolick addresses the members of the club at their monthly meeting.

Members look over articles about education in the school library.

The 1985-86 St. Stephens High School FTA Club:
Tammie Johnson, Michelle Ekerd, Kim Bolick,
advisor, **Sherry Adams, Christl White, Laura**
Wooby, Jackie Bolick, Valerie Henderson,
Kathy Collins, Valerie Pointer, Tressa Allison,
Angie Loggins

Great Leaders Are Made Here.

Would you like experience in leadership in your future?

The Vocational Industrial Club of America offers you that experience.

The club's purpose is to give students a chance to learn about leadership and organization.

The sixty-five members attended both District and State competitions and worked on their yearly scrapbook.

The fund raisers of the club consisted of car washes, bake sales and a candy sale.



Michelle Drum holds up the VICA symbol for the newly installed members.

Mr. Pruitt shows VICA member the proper method to put out a fire.

The opening and closing ceremonies team presents a program to the Bunker Hill High School VICA club.

The '85-86 St. Stephens VICA club.





Management In The Making

What club has the purpose of developing future leadership in marketing, merchandizing, and management in high school students? DECA of course.

In the club, members learned what the real world is going to be like and how to attain responsibility and merchandizing skills.

The club consisted of about forty members of which attended both District and State competitions, where they received high honors.

The club members raised money for their trips through their annual school supply store at St. Stephens.

D. Morrison



D. Morrison



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Olivia Simms, Hope Propst, and Melanie Troutman show that being a club member takes work.

Kenny Little, Angie Terry, Lori Huffman, Melanie Troutman, and Annette Laws represent the DECA officers.

Angie Terry shows **Kenny Little** and **Jimmy Carter** where to find the club rules.

The '85-86 St. Stephens DECA Club.



H. Lackey

Health Experts

Help! Emergency! Call a member of the Health Occupations Students of America. Quick! They will know what to do. That's right, any member of the HOSA club should know what to do in any instance, since that's what the organization is about.

The Health Occupations Students of America was a club for students interested in medical aid and health care. The purpose of this organization was to build confidence in one's own ability to develop skills that can lead to successful employment in the health care field or successfully furthering one's education following high school graduation.

The committee this year was led by president **Greta Deal** and vice president, **Leslie Shupe**. The secretary was **Tina Shull**. **Dana Deal** was the treasurer. **Lora McDaniel** was the reporter, while the photography was handled by **Martin Campbell**.

Tina Shull was one of the winners in the Name Tag contest, which was one of the competition events held at Surry Central College for Region 7 HOSA.

This year's advisors were **Carole Sigmon** and **Mickie Foster**.

Tina Drum works on ideas for the club.



L. Weeldreyer

Several members plan a fundraiser for the many club activities of the coming year.



Carole Sigmon, Advisor

On Your Own

If you smelled something good cooking, you could bet the aroma came from the Future Homemakers of America club meeting room. Yes, they were at it again cooking meals fit for a king.

The Future Homemakers of America Club was a club for students interested in Home Economics. The purpose of the organization was to help youth assume their roles in society through education in areas of personal and family growth, vocational preparation and even community involvement.

A majority of the thirty members were active and meetings were held monthly. Participating in demonstrations, watching filmstrips and learning new things were just a few of the constructive things which occupied their meeting time.

Students sold candy as a fundraiser. This year's president was senior *Valerie Henderson*, and *Cindy Pendleton* was our vice-president. *Wendy Hoke* was the secretary while all of the reporting was handled by *Alicia Miller*.

The advisors were *Mrs. Simmons* and *Mrs. Shuford*.



Junior **Sandy Herman** displays a FHA Consumer guide.



Sophomore **Shelley Laffone** works hard working for the FHA banquet.



Members of the 1985-86 Future Homemakers of America Club and advisors **Patty Shuford** and **Leola Simmons**

Cabinet Making Cabinet

Jonathan Eckard and **Scott Beard** work together and help each other to make their task a little easier.

Rick Brigman tries to be as accurate as possible so that what he makes will be the best it can be.

Members of the Cabinet Making Club 1985-'86. First row: Phil Story, Doug Bolick, Todd Turner, David Robbins, Todd Clontz, Mike Sawyer, Tim Hewitt, Darin Shook, Lewis Martin. Second row: Bryan Goble, Michael Eller, David Drum, Tracy Spencer, Ricky Rudisill, Kelly Isenhour, Mark Huffman, Tim Aaron. Third row: Donald Hefner, Dusty Poe, Randy Carlton, Tommy McDill, Casey Bolick, Kevin Steed, David Barger. Fourth row: Jeff Heffner, Mark Houser, Jason Beard, Brian Hunt, Danny Herman, Thad Smith, Scott Coffey. Fifth row: Larry Goins, Michael Dirkers, Curtis Starnes, Kevin Mahoney, Mark Sigmon, Shannon Isenhour, Ritchie Gragg.



H. Spatz



Maintenance Maintenance



H. Lackey



H. Spatz

Mr. Phil Story shows the students how to do the job right.



H. Spatz

Jeff Sigmon works hard to make something nice for someone special.

First row: Marty Houston, Rodney Walsh, Scott Deal, Kevin Carpenter, Steve Hoke, Hans Hoyle, Chris Hambey, Kevin Brown. Second row: Brian Lackey, Bryan Taylor, Rodney Warren, Chip Little, Kenny Frederico, John Parola, Tim Austin. Third Row: Rodney Sain, Steven Null, Eric Robinson, Larry Bolick, Huey McPherson, Chad Horton, Johnny Mayo, Richard Patton. Fourth row: Stacey Carswell, Brad Kanipe, Tony Thomas, Derek Philback, Danny Gay, Stacey Hughes, David King, Keith Huffman, Gerald Killian.

Assistants Assistants A

Help Is On The Way!!!

If you walked through the office at any time of the day, you would more than likely have heard the phone ring. And when the phone rang, someone had to answer it. Because of her many other duties, **Mrs. Nickerson** could not always answer it, she had to have some help. And that was where her office Assistants came into the picture. Ten students served as office assistants this year. Somehow they found it in themselves to work a little work into their schedules. And the office benefited from their efforts. The assistants helped with the little things that were so time-consuming. They answered the phone, helped to tabulate attendance, circulated the daily report, and did filing.

Another group of student assistants were huddled away at the filing cabinets in the Guidance office. Along with their other duties, they learned how a guidance program operates, how to work with people, and how all the paper work that followed each student through his high school career was handled. This year eight students worked in the Guidance office. A newcomer to the Guidance office, **Mrs. Mary Long** enjoyed and appreciated their help as did **Mrs. Sandra Kelly** and **Mrs. Libby Sigmon**.

Students at St. Stephens High became media center assistants by signing up for it when they made out their schedules. Their duties consisted of checking study hall students in and out of the media center, shelving books, keeping the shelves in an orderly manner and assisting students and teachers when it was needed.

The media center club consisted of media center assistants and other students who had worked in a school media center before. This year as a fundraiser, the club sold candy bars. The club's advisors were **Mrs. Celia**



A. Bader, D. Duckett, L. Nolah, M. Evans, M. Hollar, L. Walker, L. Horton, T. Wood, R. Nicker-

Gaye Wells, caught up in paper work, peeks out from the filing cabinets.

The Media Center Club

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Hollar and Mrs. Bonnie Pritchard.

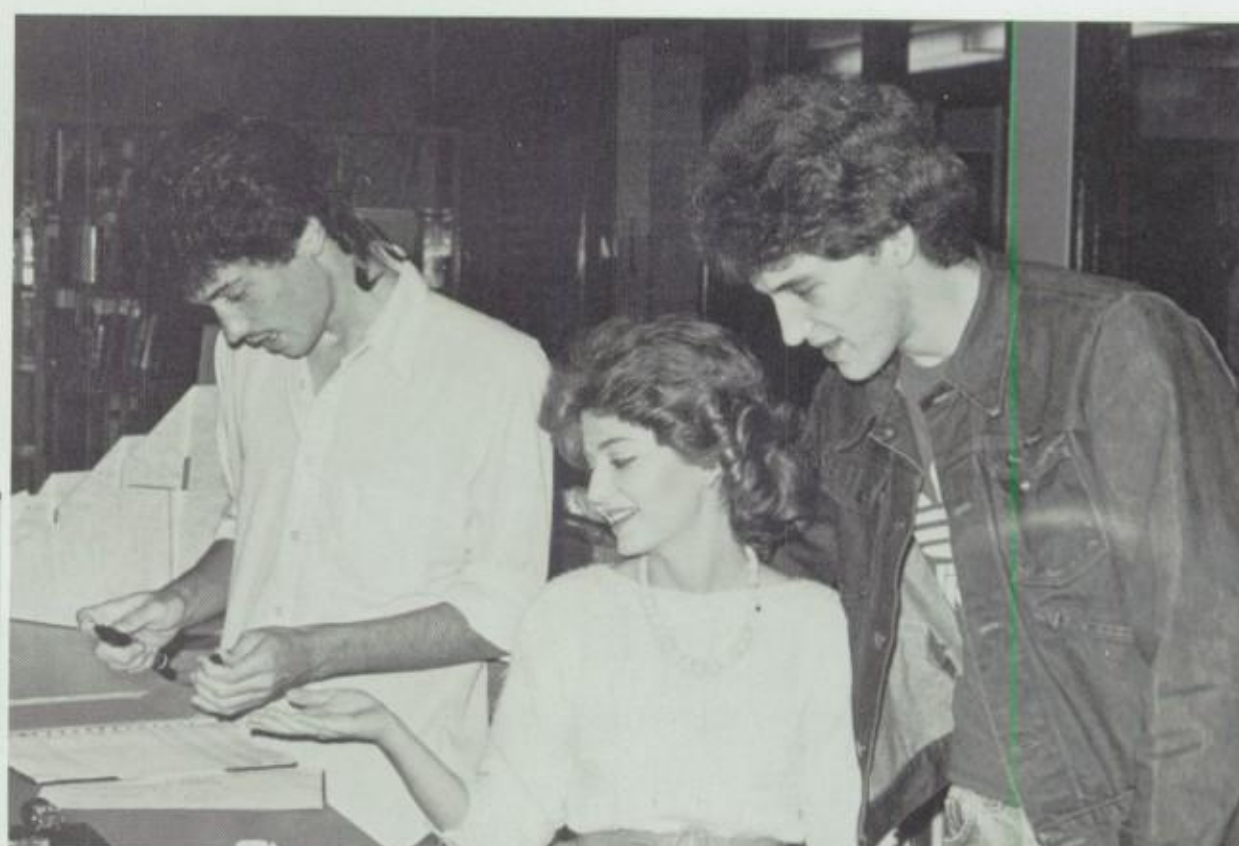
Passing through the science hall this year, if you heard the clanging of viles and the fizzing of chemicals, you were probably hearing a lab assistant setting up a lab or helping a teacher with his or her lesson plans for the day. Lab assistants helped with labs, demonstrations, and various paper work. The lab assistants made the science department run smoother and aided the teachers.

In short, students assistants at St. Stephens were a vital part of the school. Without their help, the staff would have been under more pressure than they already were, and operating costs for the school would have been higher.

P. Abernathy



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T. Wade, S. Putnam, R. Cook, L. Horton, J. Saulnier, J. Jones, G. Wells, L. Sigmon, S. Kelly, M. Long, M.J. Bradshaw

"Good morning, St. Stephens High School."

Renee shows **David** her grades.

Ms. Judy Wolfe checks on **Angel's** entries.

"The Saints Go Marching In"

When school support and Indian Pride are what you're looking for then look no further than the St. Stephens Marching Indians. One hundred and twenty-five students made up this group this year. Their main goals were to play music to the best of their ability, learn from their mistakes, and grow stronger with time. The band was led by **Joseph Cofer** and was directed by Drum Major, **Jennifer Bowman**. These Indians dedicated long hours during and after school which resulted in competitions. One at Central Davidson proved especially successful for the Indians. They also took part in the South Eastern Classic at Newton Conover High.



M. Reynolds



H. Lackey

Pride shines through during halftime as the Marching Indians perform.

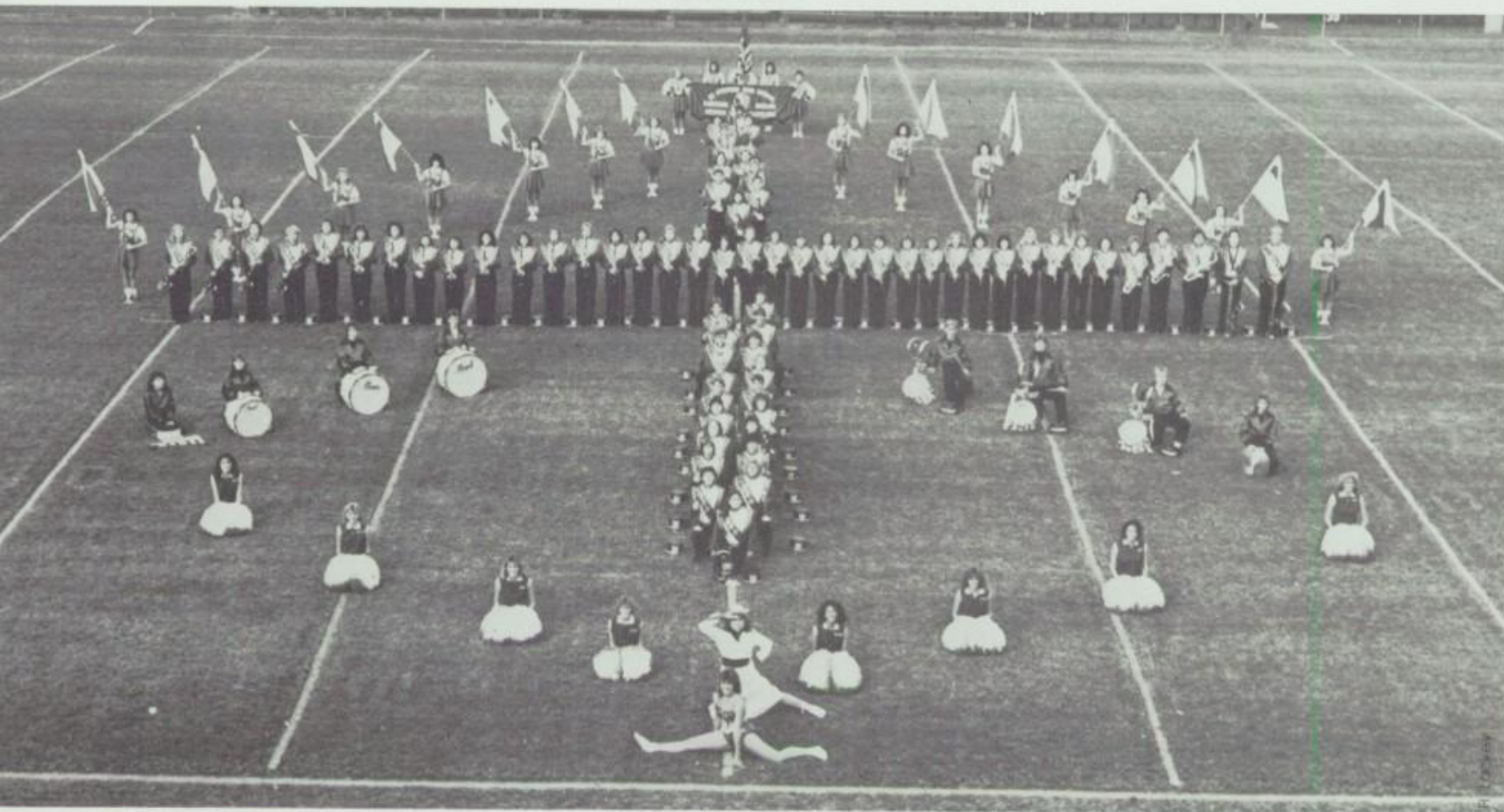
Indianettes add a little class to football halftimes.

Drum Major: Jennifer Bowman.



E. Scott

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The St. Stephens Marching Indians.

The Flag Corp, Majorette, and Drum Major salute the American flag during half time.

Joseph Cofer takes great pride in his job as a director as well as a teacher.

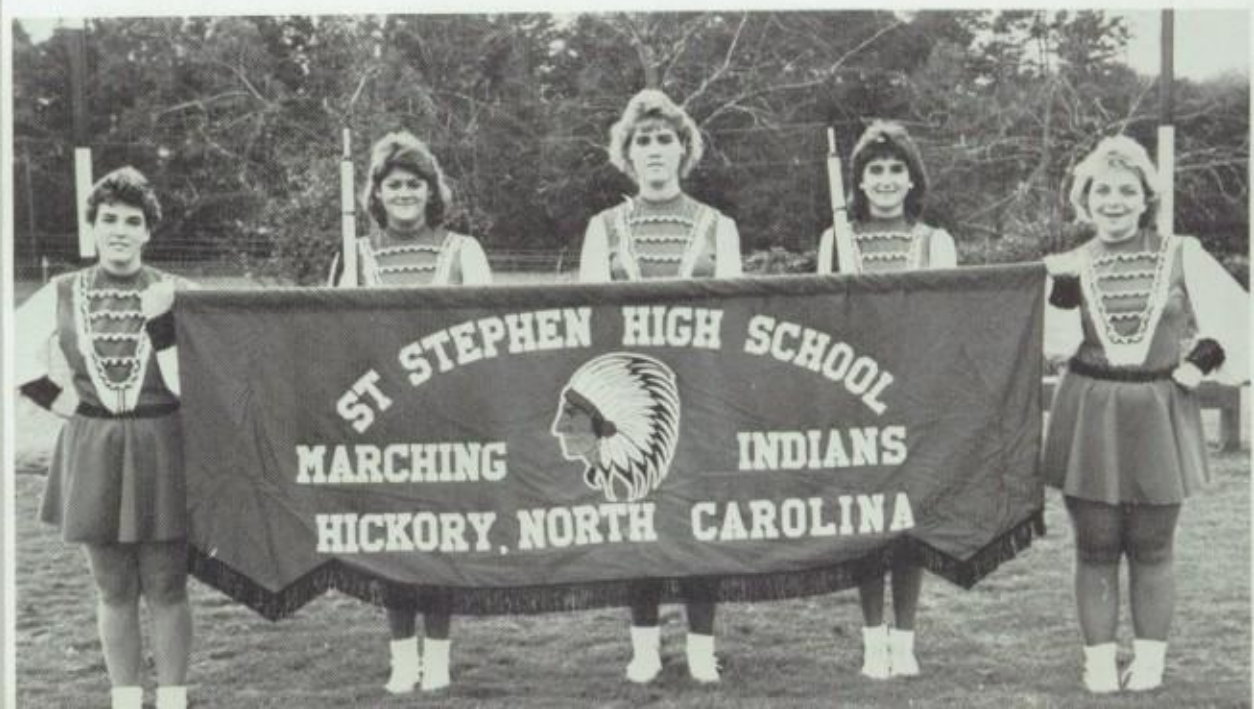
BAND BAND BAND BAND

Indianette **Gina Watson** shows school spirit by displaying her dancing talents during a Pep Rally.



N. Kentopp

The St. Stephens Stage Band strives for perfection. Pride shines when the St. Stephens chorus captures the attention of the crowd at Homecoming.



BAND BAND BAND BAND



G. Bowman



M. Reynolds

The pride of St. Stephens was shown in more ways than one. This was proven everytime the Singing Indians performed.

The Chorus was directed by **Joseph Cofer** with **Deb McCarley** president, **Mark White** Vice-President, **Dana Hathcock** Secretary, and **Melissa Franklin** Treasurer. These students showed enthusiasm and spirit by bringing out their vocal talents. With an expansion in size and capability the chorus was able to take part in such activi-

ties as singing at the Homecoming football game, traveling to elementary schools, and competing at Carowinds.

The twelve students which made up the stage band also proved to be examples of our Indian pride. These talented musicians came together to form an elite group. They performed at elementary schools, and also took part in a jazz festival at UNC Chapel Hill. The group had a core of six members who led the way in improvisation.



H. Lackey



The job of firing up the crowd is put to the band during football games.



S. Rowe

With sophomore **Andrew Peterson** a picture is worth a thousand words.

Drum Major **Jennifer Bowman** says, "Get the side with Indian Pride."

Did you ever get that sinking feeling?

Lenior Rhyne Band Camp proves to be risky business for juniors **Teresa Haas**, **Amy Bangle**, and **Jennifer Bowman**.

L. Miller

Sophomore, **Travis Bryant**, displays his "Indian Pride" during Homecoming.

Johnny Eagle, Marty Houston, and Kim Stuart discuss weekend plans during lunch.

Walt Scharer gives his (winning) campaign speech during Student Council elections.



T. Punch



D. Bolick



N. Kentopp

People

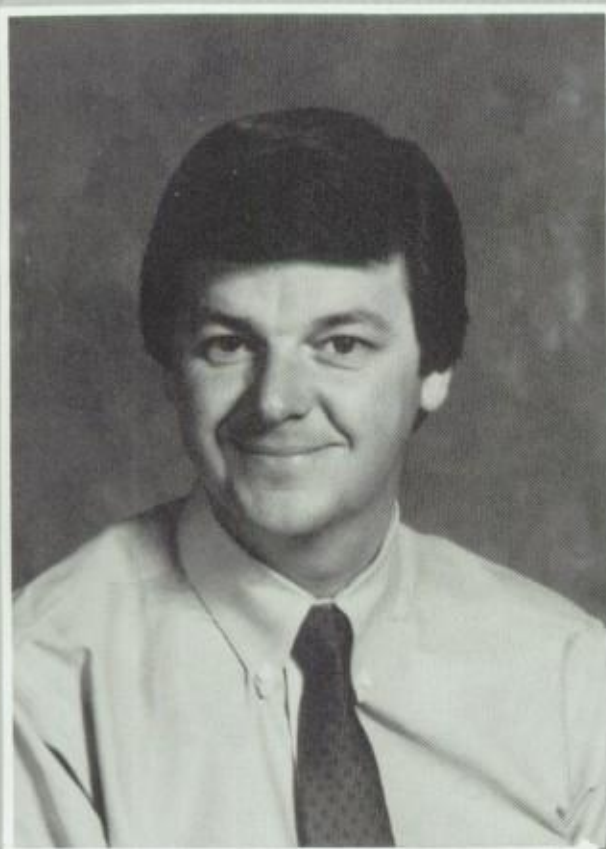
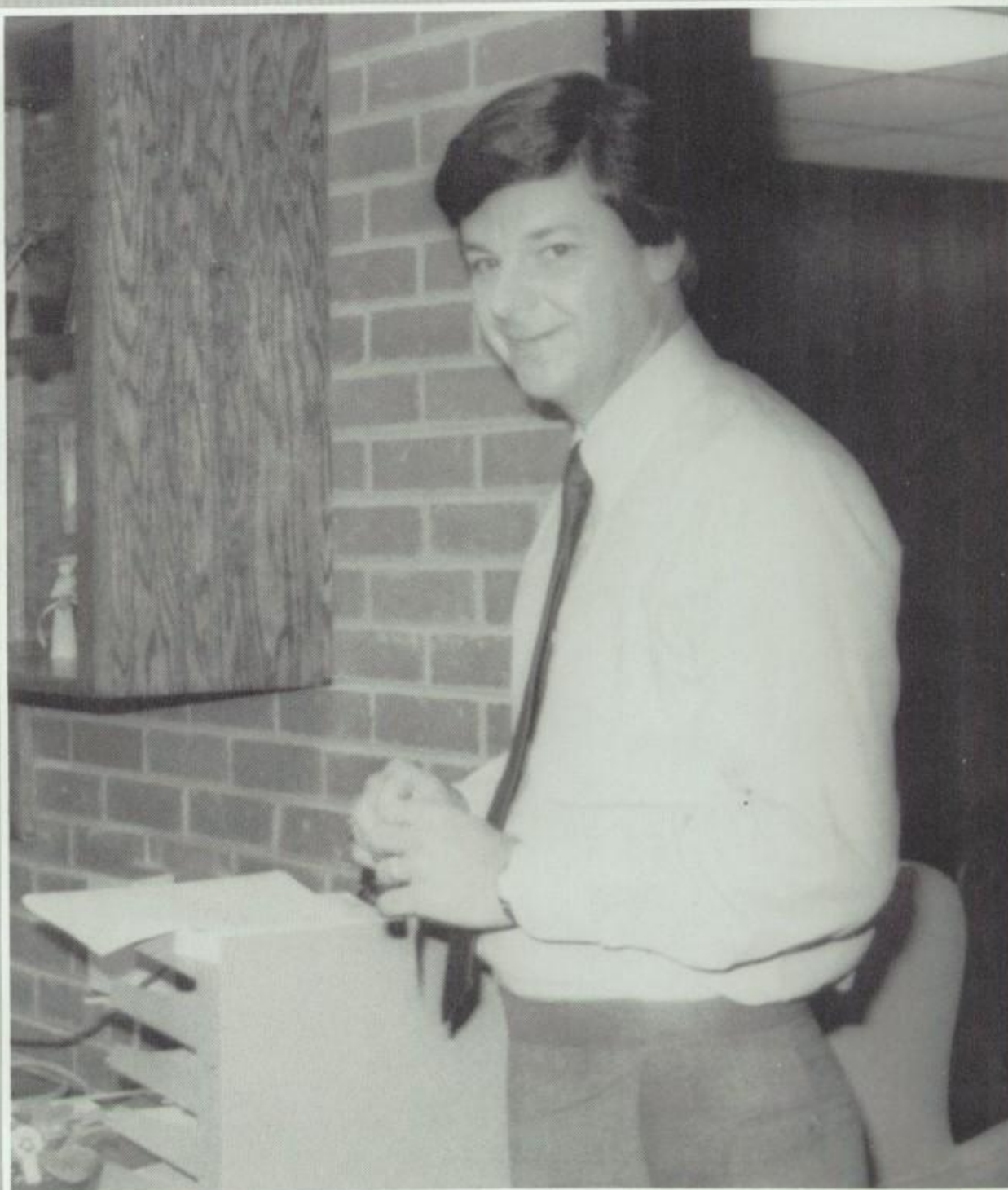
New Faces On The Totem Pole

Running a school as large as St. Stephens took a tremendous amount of work and dedication from our administration. **Ken Throneburg** returned for his first full year as our distinguished leader and principal. Working with him were two new faces at St. Stephens, assistant principals **Larry Harris** and **Judy Wolfe**. Mr. Harris had many duties assigned to him, including student parking, busing, and several aspects of the athletic program. Mrs. Wolfe also had several duties, most time-consuming among these being daily attendance. All three administrators took on tremendous tasks and performed them exceptionally well, and as a result, St. Stephens had a very well-organized and successful year.

Taking a break, **Mr. Throneburg** discovers that he doesn't have a problem that needs immediate attention — a rare situation.

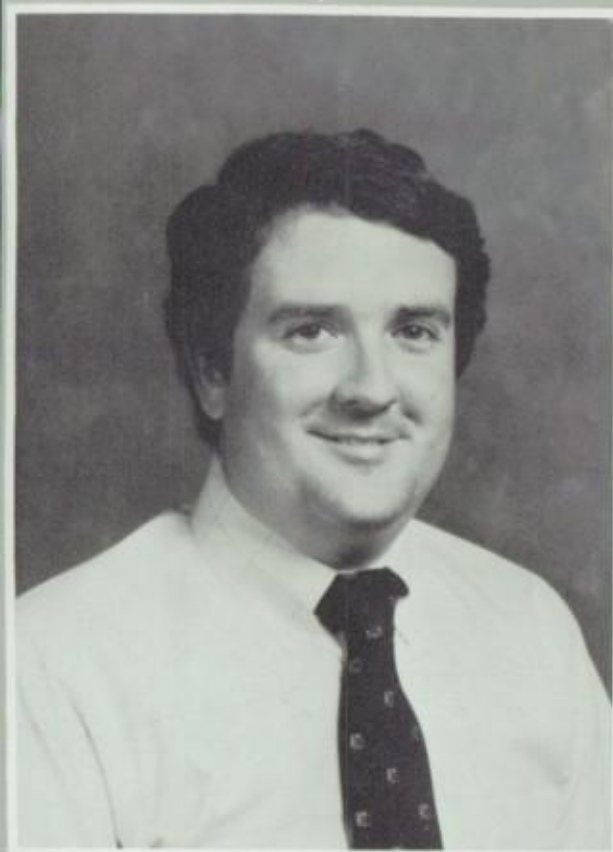
Ken C. Throneburg
Principal

Ken Throneburg and **Jeff Price** enjoy the athletic banquet.



D. Boick

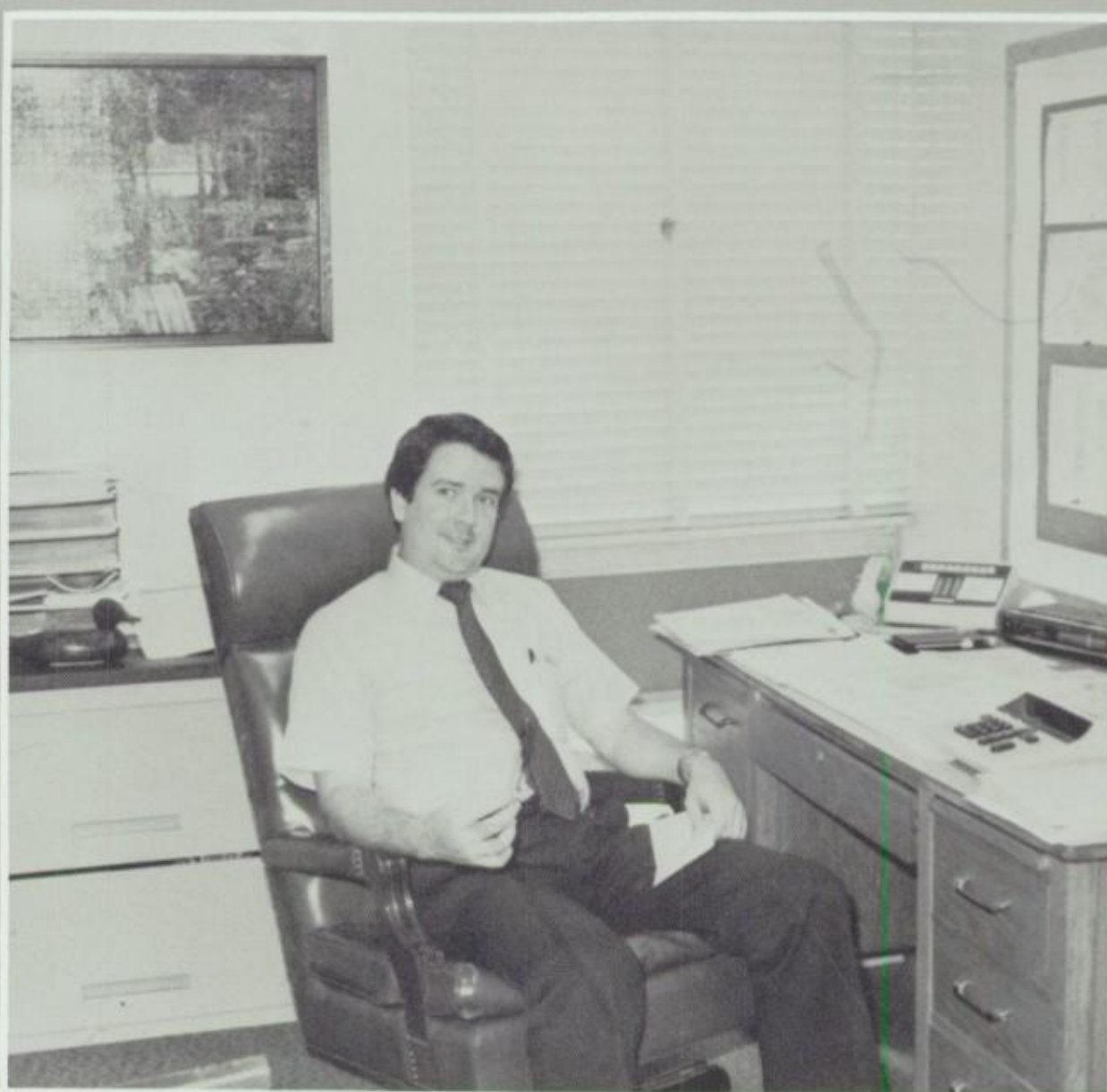




H. Lockey

Larry Harris
Assistant Principal

Mr. Harris pauses in the midst of solving a dilemma with the buses. At least he is still showing a smile to the world.



Judith Wolfe
Assistant Principal

Ms. Wolfe is always ready to offer help to faculty members such as **Ms. Brooks**, especially those with questions about school attendance records.



office

Behind every good administrator is a qualified secretarial staff, and the group at St. Stephens was one of the best. This year was an exceptionally busy one, but the office staff still managed to keep its composure and carry out the hundreds of duties that kept the school running well.

Marta Isenhour helped Mr. Throneburg to stay on top of his busy schedule, as well as handling a large portion of the school's finances.

Roberta Nickerson was in charge of the main office, and among her other duties was the massive task of helping Ms. Wolfe with attendance.

Nancy Harper took care of all duplicating, as well as keeping supplies up to date and working on many other secretarial chores.

The administration and faculty would have been lost without these hardworking people this year.



Mrs. Isenhour finds time during her busy day for a smile.



Answering phones is just one of **Mrs. Nickerson's** tasks.

Mrs. Harper and **Mrs. Isenhour** work together to keep St. Stephens running smoothly.



Nancy Harper



Marta Isenhour



Roberta Nickerson





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Libby Sigmon
Guidance
B.A., M.A.
Lenoir Rhyne, ASU



Mary Long
Guidance
Radio Club
B.S. M.A.
UNC-G, Lenoir Rhyne



Sandra K. Kelly
Guidance & Counseling
Beta Club, Juniores
B.S., M.A.
ASU



D. Bolick

Can I get a scholarship? Can I drop this class? Will you help me? These were just a few of the thousands of questions the guidance counselors heard this year. **Libby Sigmon, Sandra Kelly** and **Mary Long** were three of the busiest people in this school. At any hour of the day you could walk into the guidance office and see a huge number of students waiting to talk with them and then they could appear, with a slightly harried look in their face and smile. They worked their way through the crowd and found a solution for everyone's problem.

Soothing student headaches was only one part of the job. Dealing with testing, such as the SAT, keeping cumulative records up to date and speaking with potential employers for students took up a great deal of time, but when a student had a problem, they were there.

Ms. Sigmon works diligently to stay on top of paperwork involved in her job.

Ms. Kelly counsels a student with a problem, an important aspect of her job.



D. Bolick



Mary Jane Bradshaw —
Aide

faculty



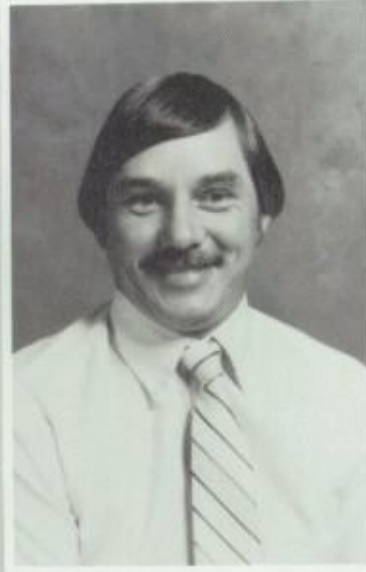
"O.K., class sit down!" says **Mrs. Holland.**

Mrs. Eades explains a complicated English problem.

Mrs. DeVenney helps out one of her many math students.



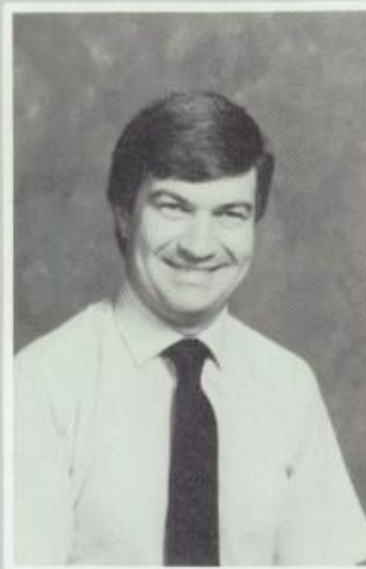
Tony E. Andrew
Humanities, English, Debate
Debate Club, Junioresettes
B.A. English, End. Social
Studies
Lenoir-Rhyne, A.S.U.



Cecil Bartles:
Exceptional Children
Pep Club, Football Coach
Masters — Health/P.E.
UNC — Ch. Gardner-Webb,
Mars Hill, A.S.U., UNC-C,
Lenoir-Rhyne.



B. Pat Beard:
Economics and Political
Systems; Sociology; and
World History.
Interact; and Close-Up.
B.A. Economics (Monetary
Area).
UNC-Asheville.



Terry Bledsoe:
Consumer Math, Pre-
Calculus, Algebra 1 pt. B
and Algebra II.
Student Council;
B.S. and M.A.
Appalachian State
University



Kim Bolick:
English Grades 9-12.
Future Teachers of
America, Homecoming.
English Degree.
Appalachian State
University and Lenoir-Rhyne.



Carol N. Bowman
Algebra II, Algebra I pt. A,
Consumer Math.
Student Council and Future
Teachers of America.
B.S. — Mathematics
Appalachian State
University and Lenoir-Rhyne.





Sally R. Bradshaw
Acct. I, Comp. Acct.,
Typing I, FCA, FBLA, Pep
Club
B.S. — Business
Lenoir Rhyne College



Frances Brooks
BSCS Gen. Biology
Biology Club
B.S., M.A. — Bio., H/PE
Pfeiffer/ASU



Gene Brooks
CPR
B.S.B. History, Athletic
Training
ASU, Wake Forest, Bowman
Gray
School of Medicine



Lewis Bumgarner
ICT I, II
VICA
A.B. — S.S., Spanish
Lenoir Rhyne, East Carolina



Vickie Burleson
French I, II, III, IV, AP
French Club
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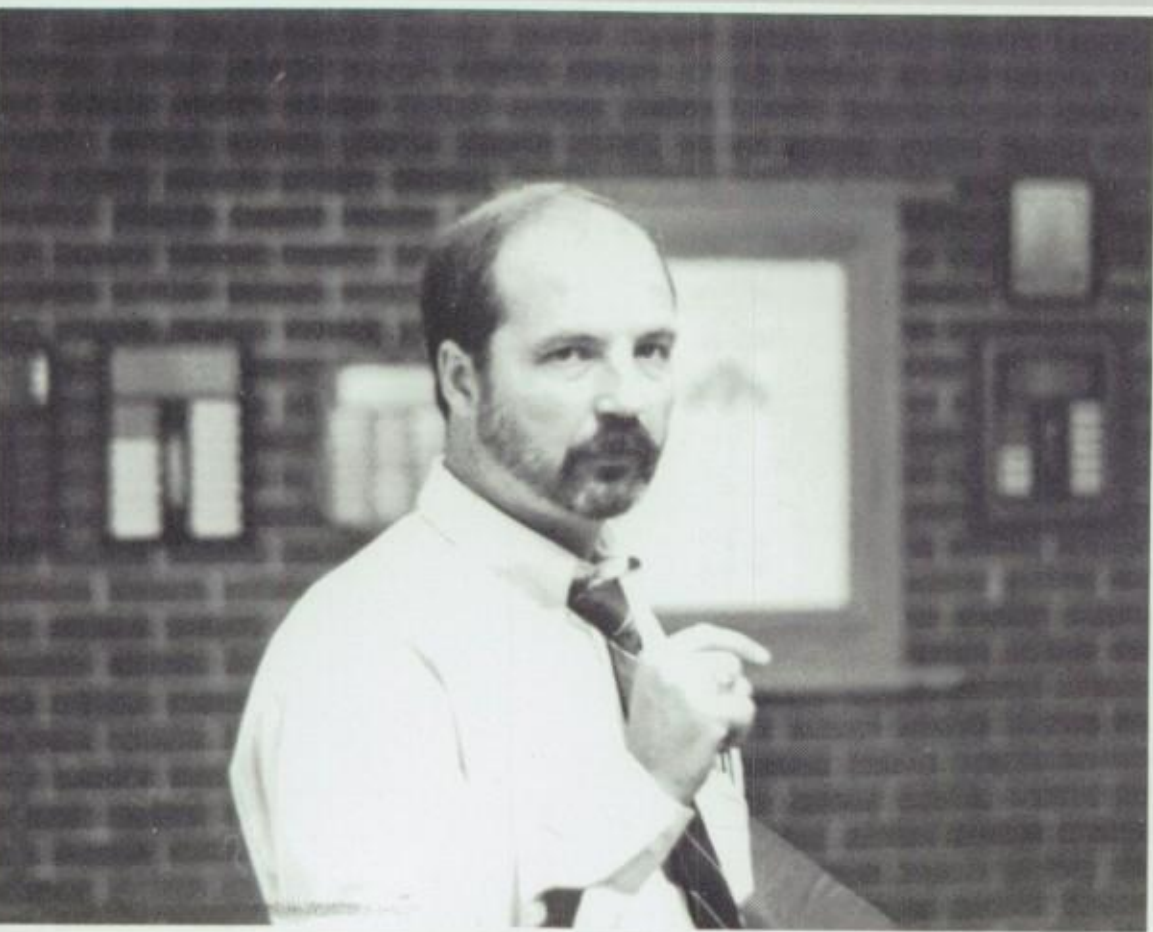
Larry Carpenter
Drafting
FCA
B.S. Education
N.C. State University



Tim E. Carpenter
Chemistry and Physics
Radio Staff
B.S. — Science
Lenoir Rhyne College

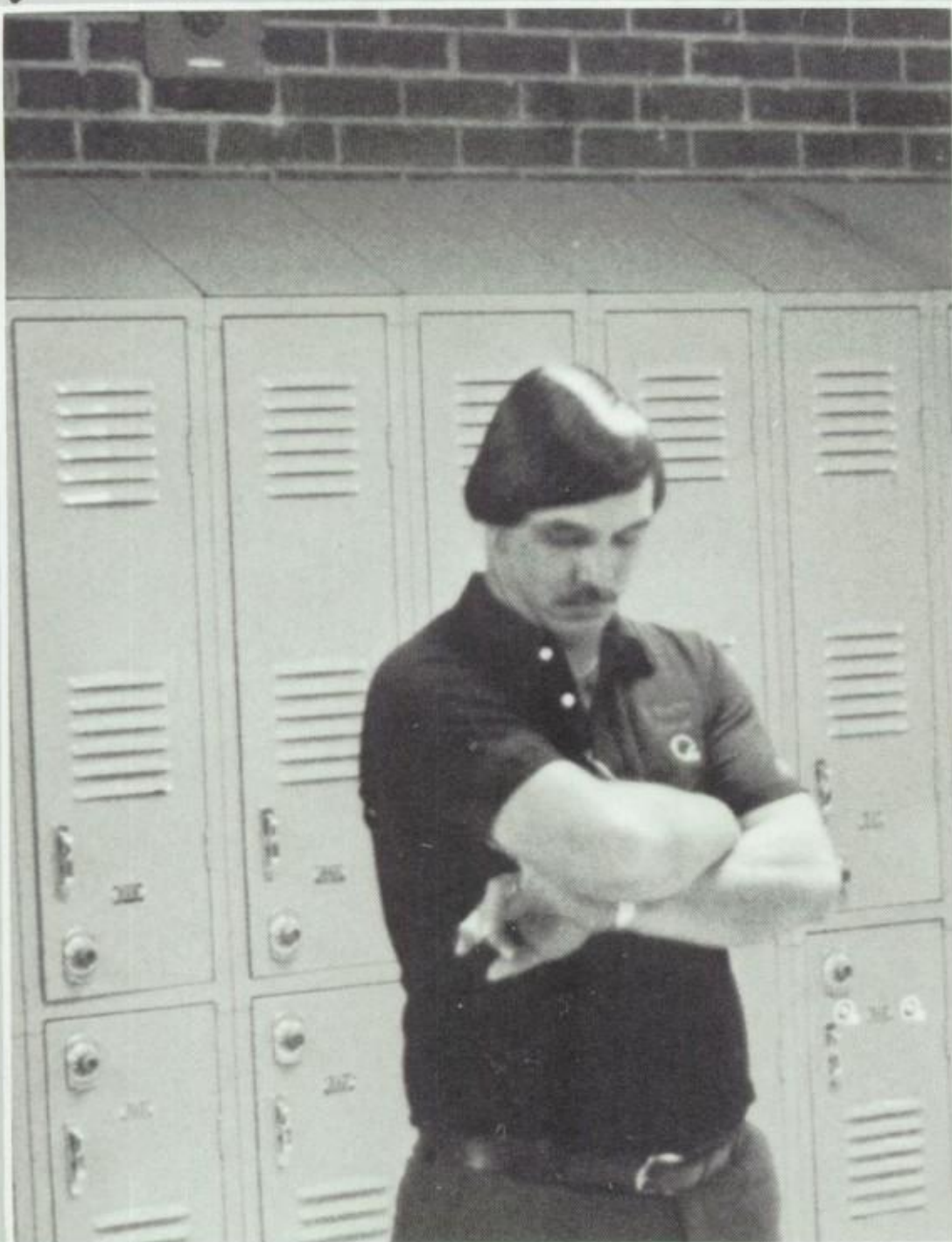


Joseph Cofer
Music
Radio Staff
BME
Shenandoah Conservatory
of Music



Mr. Simmons is obviously talking about a very serious subject.

faculty



B. C. Crawford
CP English III, IV, Honors
English I, Quiz Bowl
B.B.A., Univ. of Mississippi



Jackie Daughton
Spanish II, III, AP IV
Spanish Club
B.A., Spanish
UNCG, UNC Asheville



Glenn Deal
Adv. Algebra, Geometry
Career Math, Alg. I Art Club
AB, MA — Math, Driver Ed.
Lenoir Rhyne, Appalachian

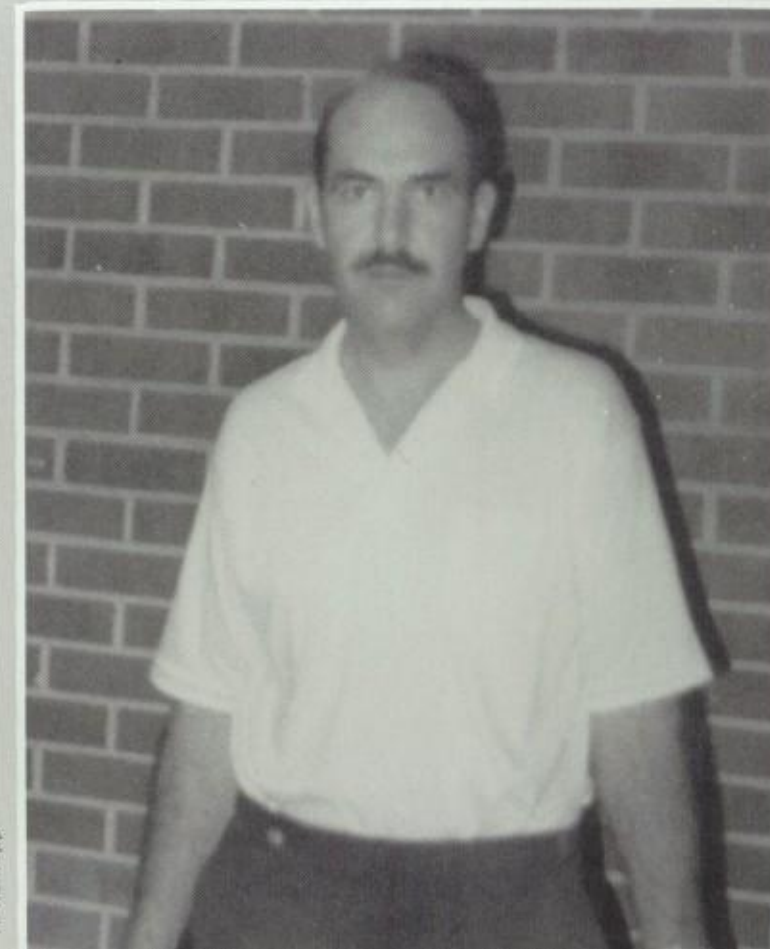


Jeannette Devenney
Geometry, Algebra
Functional Math, Quiz Bowl,
Math Club, Student Council
AB — Lenoir Rhyne College

Mr. Bartles 'eagerly' awaits the arrival of students at lunch.

Mickie Foster carefully grades Algebra exams before the day ends.

Mr. Moore is stunned by a secret photographer.



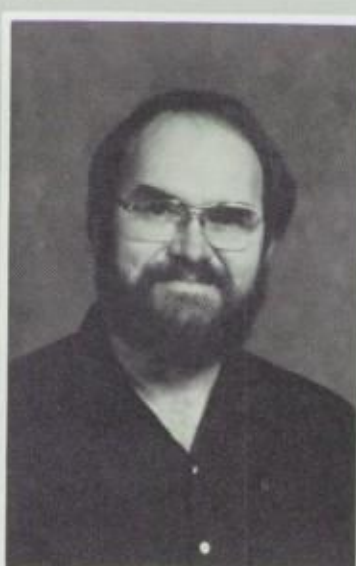


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Art Club
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ASU

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Science Club
BS & MA in Biology
Ball St., Indian St. App. St.



Mrs. Maye is seeking assistance from the guidance office.

faculty



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Soccer, Tennis Coach, Pep
Club
BS Ed
Brevard Western Carolina
Univ.



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Impressions, Cross-Country
Coach
AB English
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Sylvia Hoke
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AB English
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to Comp.
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BA in Business Ed.
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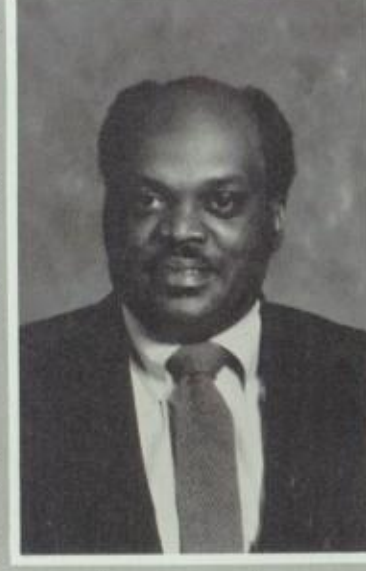
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Resource
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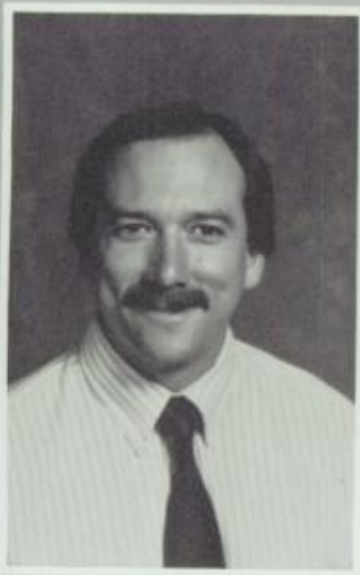


James D. Kimball
ICT I
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"Is that a mistake I hear?"



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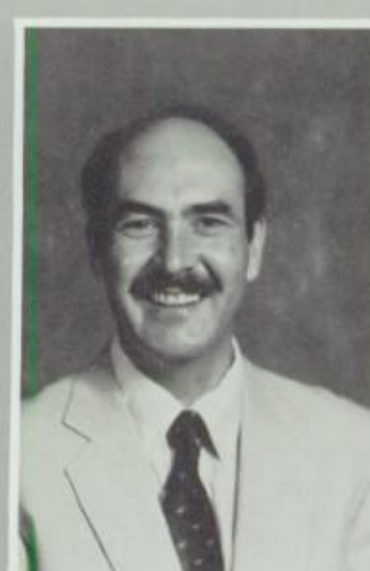


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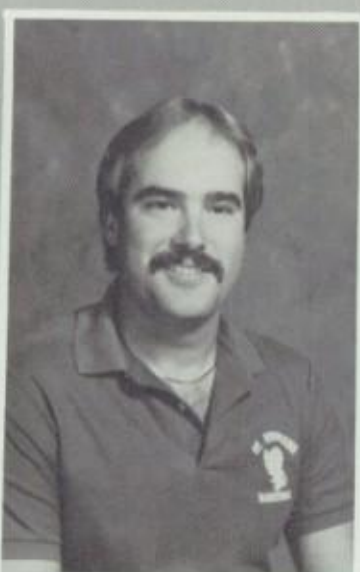
Ms. Woodruff vows to avenge the unlucky Corona photographer who took this picture.



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Comm.
A.B. — Reading, Speech,
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Marketing, Merchandising
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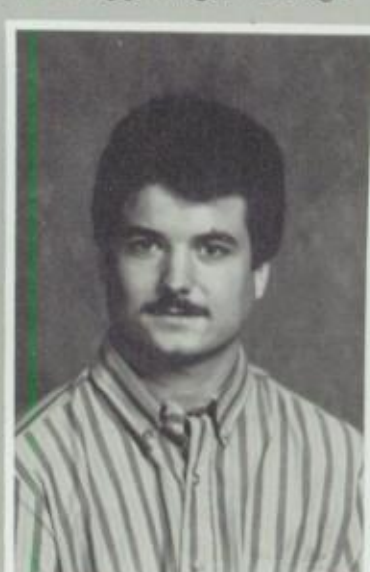
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Lenoir Rhyne



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Library-Media Club
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Monogram Club
BA History
Mars Hill College

faculty



Jerry Roberts
Resource Math 9, 10, 11, 12
Biology Club, Maintenance
Club
B.S.B./Health & P.E.
A.S.U., U.C.F.



William Christopher Rose
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Systems
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B.S. — History
A.S.U.



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High Point College



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Driver Education
B.A./Physical Education
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Henry College



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Clothing, Textiles
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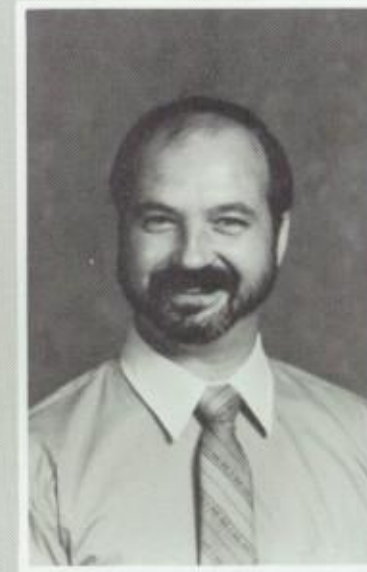


Jane Lee helps Monica Winters learn the filing system.

Jackie Daughton ponders her next class assignment.



Sharon Sigmon
Health/Physical Education
Cheerleaders, Pep Club
B.A., M.A.T. — Health/P.E.
UNC, Lenoir Rhyne,
Winthrop College



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Student Council
B.S., M.A., Ed.S. — Sci., Bio
A.S.U.



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Family Life, Home Econ.,
Housing
Future Homemakers of
America
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Shop Club



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Pep Club
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David Thomas
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SADD, Interact
BA, MA
ASU



Wanda Varnedoe
Typing, Accounting,
Shorthand
B.S. — Business
Pembroke State University



Priscilla Watts
Math and Algebra
Math Club
BA Math
Furman University



Ken Weaver
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Science
Biology Club
BS Science
Lenoir Rhyne



Laura Woodruff
Basic Eng. 9, C.P.C. 9, 11
SADD
AB English Ed.
Lenoir Rhyne



Helen Workman
Eco./Pol. Systems World
History
Beta Club
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Not Pictured:

Monica Winter
Spanish I
Spanish Club
M.A. — Spanish
Argentina

Deborah J. Wakefield
CP English 9 and Basic, Reg. 12
St. Stephens Theatre Group
AB Eng. Ed. BFA Dramatic Arts
Western Carolina, ASU, UNC-Ch, UNC-G

Mr. Hamrick gets caught in the lunch room crowd.



lunchroom

There was one place in the school building that everyone had no trouble finding — the cafeteria.

In the cafeteria, you could have a nutritious, balanced plate lunch or a sandwich and salad, depending on your appetite.

Maxella Walsh arrived each morning at 6:00 to get the kitchen ready for a busy day. All the ladies that worked in the kitchen had a variety of different tasks that they performed in order to get the meal ready for the students and faculty. Some of the ladies arrived at different scheduled times, depending on their job-related duties.

Determining how much food to prepare was an estimation that **Ms. Walsh** did based on her experience. Plate lunches were deter-



M. Beckom



N. Kentopp

mined by the county dietician. **Ms. Walsh** planned the sandwich serving line and Max's Munchies. There was always something prepared for a hearty appetite or something on the lighter side.

Bless the ladies that labored in the cafeteria. We couldn't make it through the day without them.

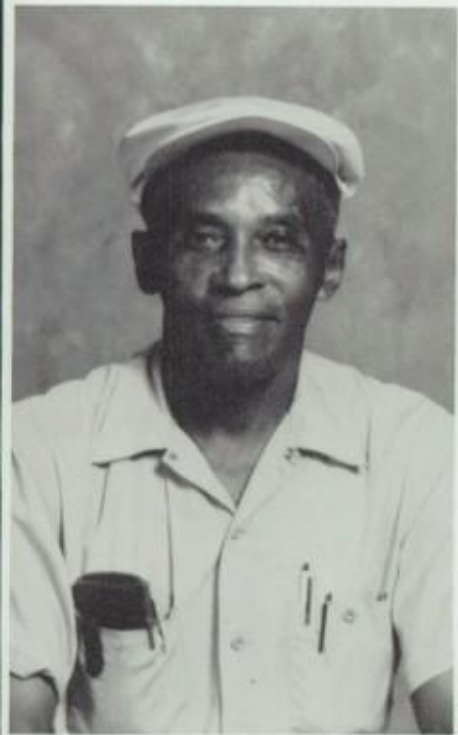
Wanda Gardner, Maxella Walsh, Bobbie Yelton, Vera Brown, Linda Padgett, Holly Dochery, Lillian Caldwell, Janice Clements, Willie Bumgarner, Norma Hull, and Lorraine Parsons.

Janice Clements and Bobbie Yelton prepare for the busy day of serving lunch to over a thousand students and faculty.

Maxella Walsh, lunchroom manager, makes sure that all trays are clean before the student body arrives for lunch.

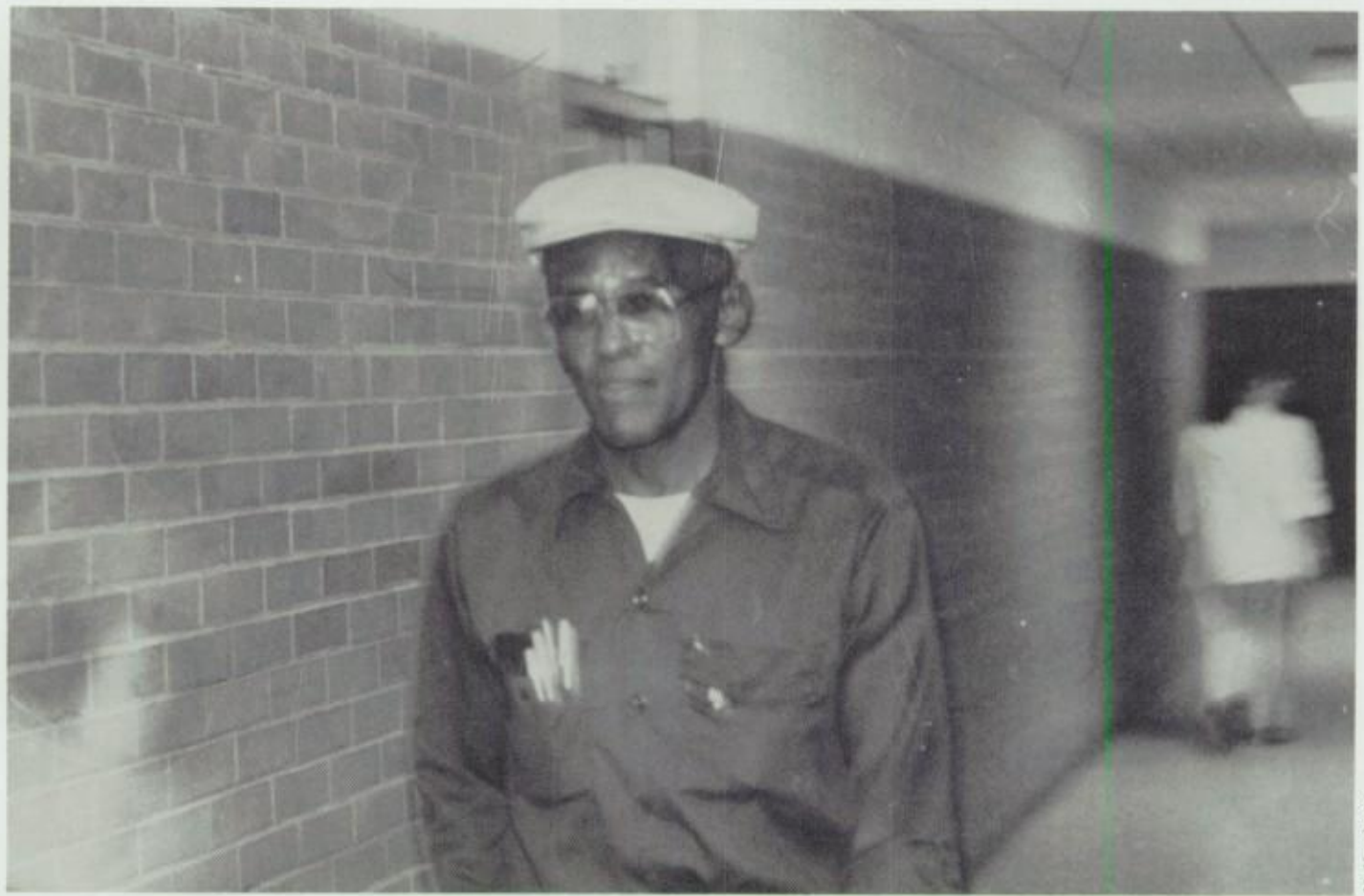


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Delmar

James Patterson



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Grace Patterson



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Mr. Patterson keeps SSHS clean by continuously checking all the hallways for trash.

At left, **Becky Ross** does her share of the work by sweeping the floors in the classrooms.

Once again James and Grace Patterson, along with Becky Ross, kept our school clean and safe.

Their mornings started early, with the Pattersons getting up at 4:00 a.m. to have a good hot breakfast before starting their day. After they arrived at school, unlocked the gates, and turned on the lights, a lot of cleaning was done before students started arriving. During the day **James, Grace, and Becky** cleaned the bathrooms, floors, emptied the trash cans, changed light bulbs, and did all the other jobs that kept things running smoothly. The day at school ended for the Pattersons and Becky at 4:30. They started for home to make ready for another day at St. Stephens.



Delmar

Becky Ross

freshmen

Eager faces but worried and doubtful voices set the scene for the first day for us. Everybody seemed to tower over us. Not only that, but where in the world were we going to put all those books?

As we think back over this hectic but exciting year, most of us remembered the first two weeks.

As typical freshmen, we rushed to classes, only to be tardy after those stupid lockers just wouldn't open. We were really frustrated trying to find the right classes especially after an upper-classman had accidentally shown us the wrong room.

Aside from our typical "freshmen blues," we managed to make our first year a memorable one. Being freshmen has broadened our outlook on life and our fellow classmates.

Candy Matthews proves that freshmen can open lockers.



D. Bolick



Scott B. 1

"I'm a big freshmen and I know it! Got anything to say about it?" says Ashely Carpenter.



M. Sigman

Gay Bentley



P. Abernathy

Freshmen Tommy Morrison waves casually after being caught out of class.

freshmen



Jeremy Abbott
Jon Abbott
Cheryl Alexander
Lori Alexander
Bryan Allen
Tresa Allison

Cam Anderson
Chad Anderson
Jennifer Angelica
Michelle Archer
Leslie Bailey
Jill Baker

Kristi Barger
David Barham
Tina Barlow
Lisa Barron
Jennifer Beard
Shawn Beard

Mike Beasley
Shaun Beasley
Leemanda Benfield
Mark Bengé
Gay Bentley
Jay Benton

Shelia Bevins
Paul Blevins
Holly Boldgett
Tameca Bolch
Chad Bolick
Jill Bolick

Nick Bollinger
Damon Bowman
Philip Bracewell
Betsy Braddock
Kevin Bradshaw
Billy Broadwell

Karen Broome
Chris Bryant
Amy Buchanan
Melinda Bumgarner
Jimmy Burns
Michael Byrd

freshmen

Cathy Cabe
Amber Caldwell
Michelle Camp
Jamie Campbell
Johnny Canipe
Ashley Carpenter



Glenda Carswell
Julie Choate
Phillip Christopher
Lisa Church
Derrick Coffey
Monica Cole



Kathryn Collins
Jerome Connor
Curtis Cook

Terry Metcalf studies,
studies, studies for a
big exam.



Delane Costner
Chip Cotten
Rober Coulter



Tonya Coulter
Todd Craig
Jennifer Dale
Dinh Dam
Khanty Dara
Brian Davis



Lori Day
Mark Deal
Arlen DeVenney
Eddie Drum
Tony Duncan
Pam Duncan



Jonathan Eckard
Bobby Edwards
David Edwards
Teresa Ekard
Gunnar Elliott
William Ellis



freshmen



Jeannine Everley
Sean Falcone
Kim Farris
Karlyn Fisher
Jack Fleming
Lorie Fox

Spencer Fredell
Sammy Freeman
Wendy Fulcher
Mark Galluzi
Anand Gandhi
Chuck Gantt

Greg Garner
Amy Garret
Chad Gragg
Misty Greenway
Mark Greer
Todd Guthrie

Adam Hadnott
Chris Hall
Daryl Hall
Tracy Hall
Fletcher Harris
Michael Harris

Dana Hathcock
Vicki Hauck
Wesley Hawn
Gary Heavner

Jennifer Angelica
thinks, "Come on
team, I know we can
win this one."

Donnie Hefner
Kelly Hefner
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Angie Helton

Kevin Helton
Shellie Herman
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Heather Hines

freshmen

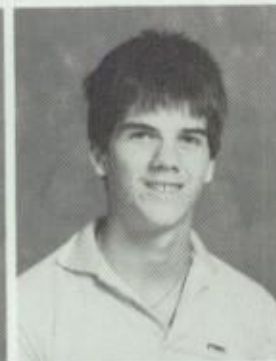
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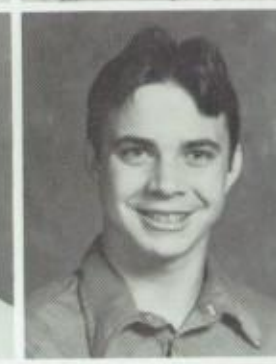
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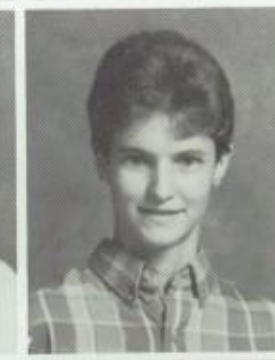
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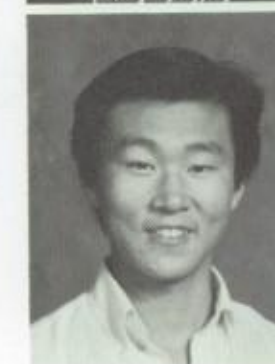
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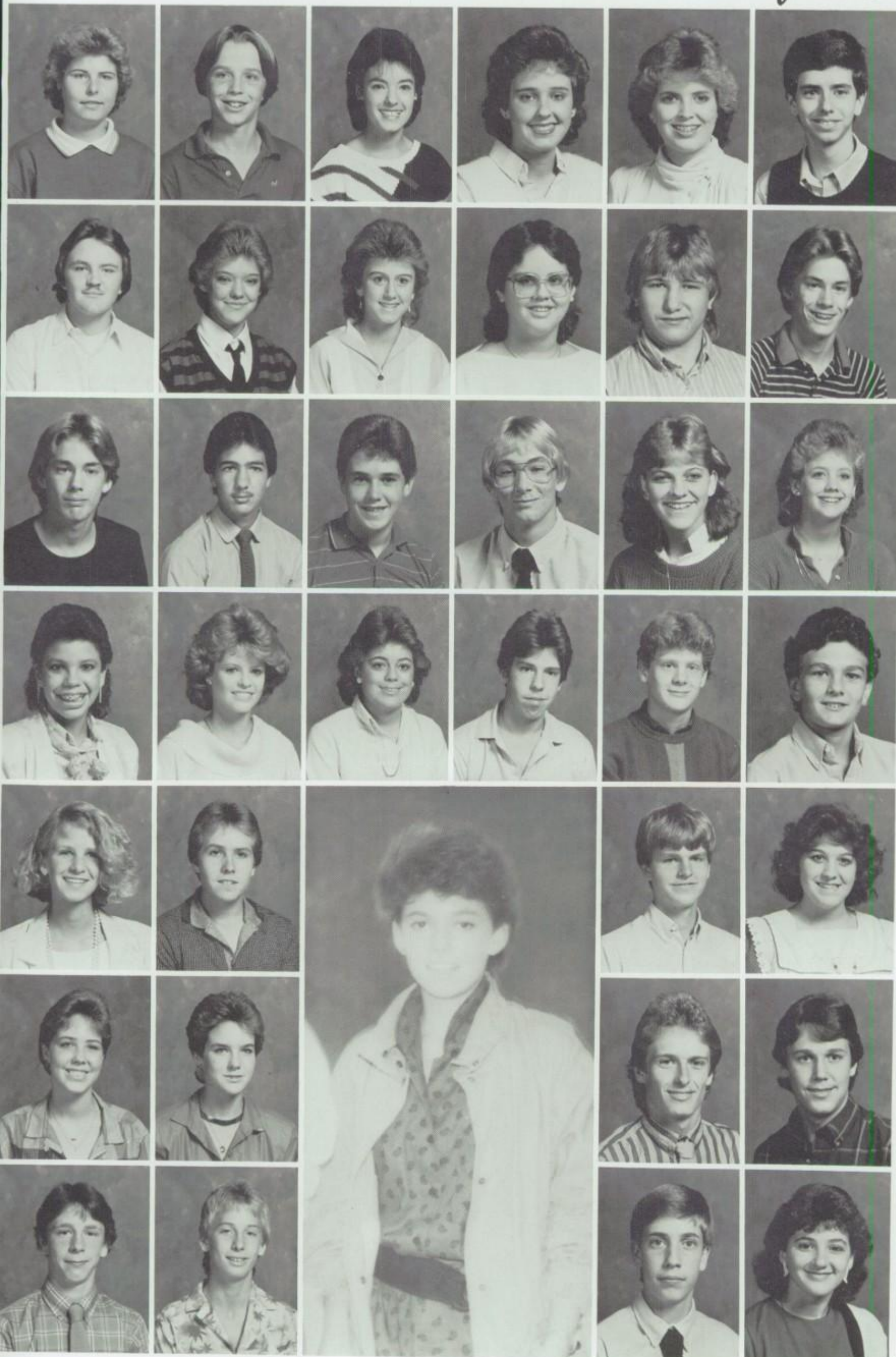
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Derek Killian
Tammy Killian



Sungmin Kim
Lesley King
Phillip Kuhn
Dorian Kuropas
Amy Lafone
Jill Lafone



freshmen



Sonya Lail
Randy Ledford
Rhonda Lee
Angie Loggins
Tracy Long
Brent Lowe

Charlie Lowe
Nancy Lowe
Dee Dee Lunsford
Janet Lutz
Jeff Lynn
Dwayne Mackey

Wayne Mackey
Jamie Manos
Keith Marlow
Chad Martin
Michelle Martin
Susan Martin

Nadine Martinez
Candy Matthews
Cristy Mayberry
David McCray
Stephen McDaniel
Chad McKinney

Michele Metz
Berlie Michael
Brandon Mikeal
Wendy Milam

Freshman Lorie Fox, in a puzzled state, searches for a seat in which to plop.

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Tommy Morrison

Billy Moseley
Shane Motley
Don Nackley
Crystal Nations

freshmen

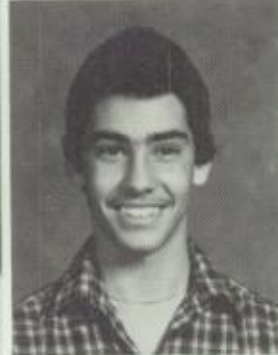
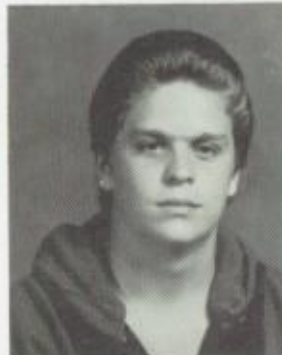
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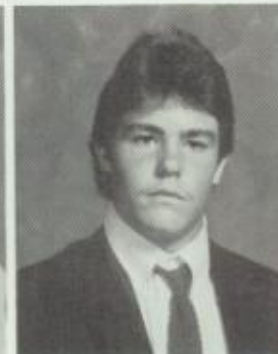
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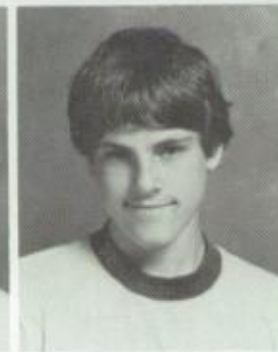
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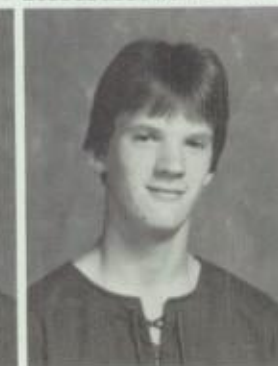
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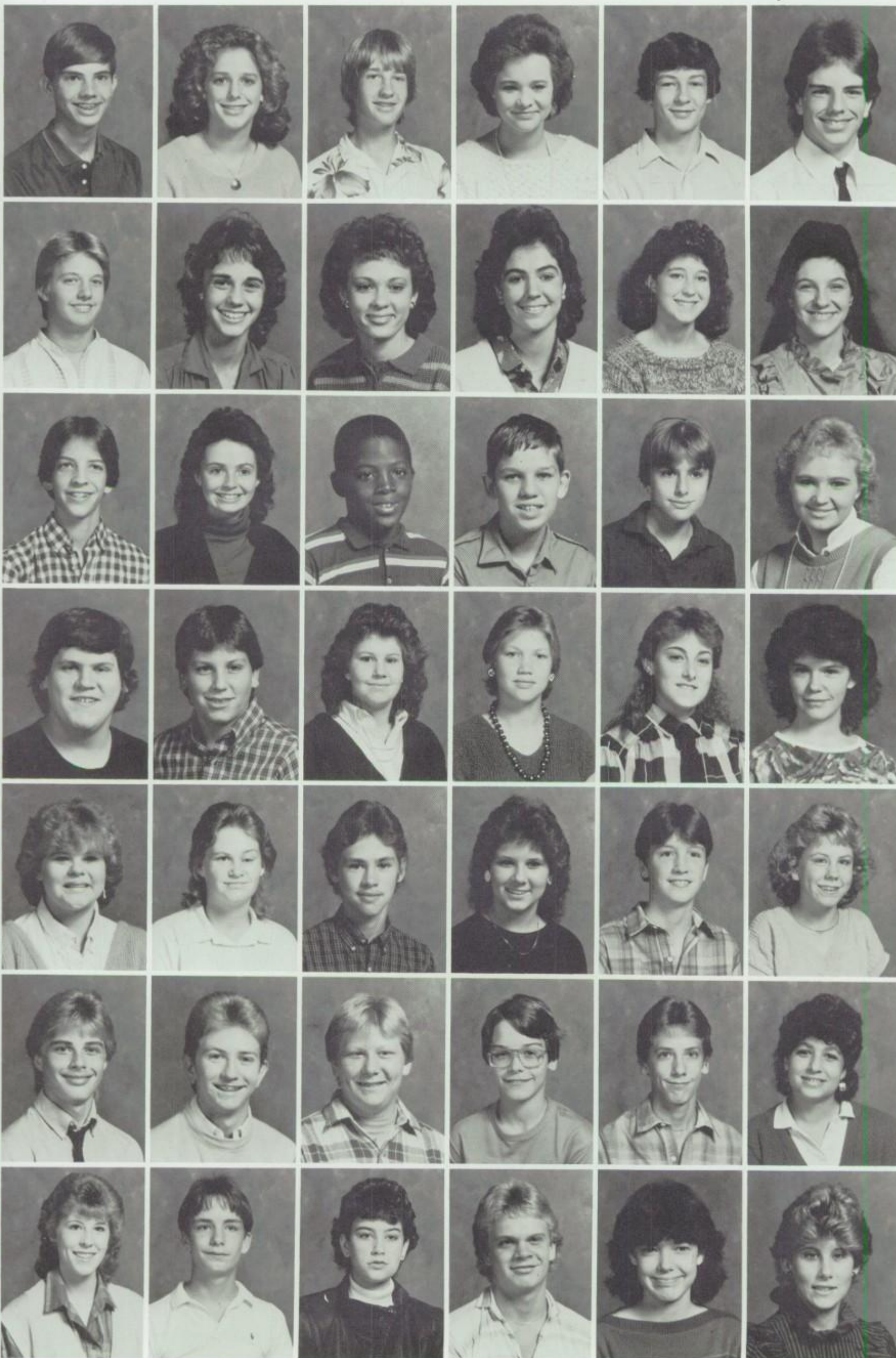
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Joe Seagle
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Jammy Self
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Christie Teague

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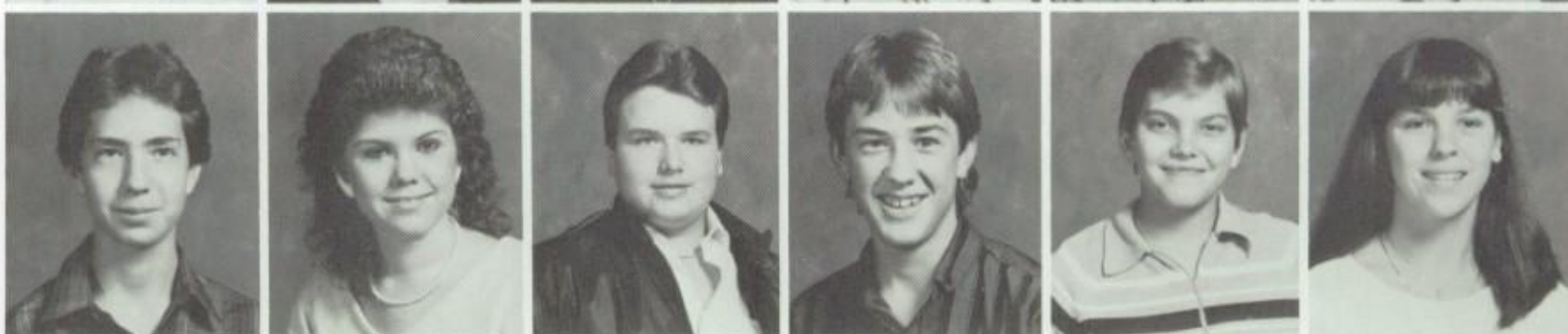
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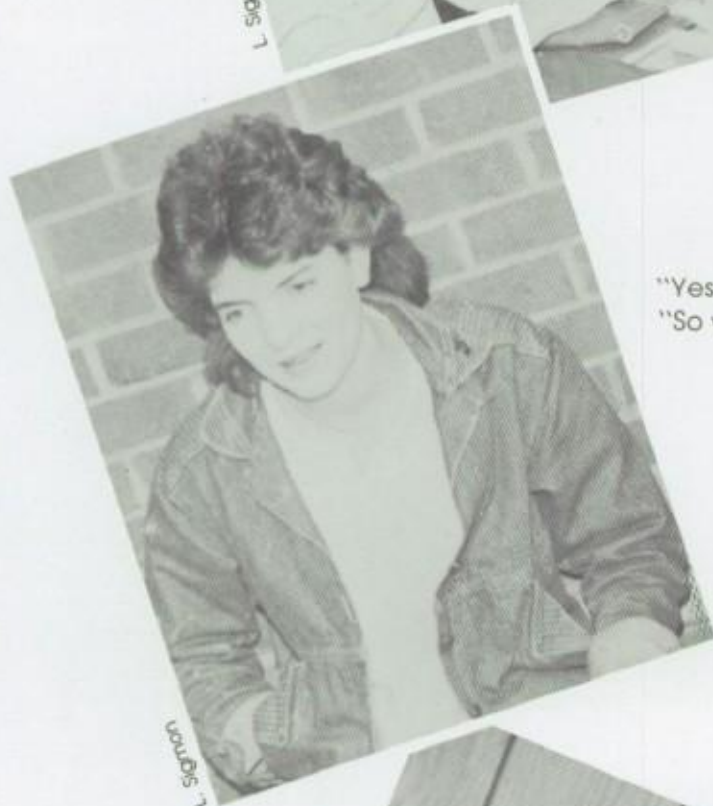


Shannon Young





Sophomores can take a break. Why is it always at lunch?



"Yes, I forgot to do my homework."
"So what?"

Another year has come and gone and another class is coming of age at St. Stephens. Every class has its own personality, and the sophomore class was no different. This tenth grade class was one of enthusiasm and high spirits.

This years sophomores proved to be a big asset to St. Stephens. "We have a strong class," commented one sophomore. This is true indeed, because in the upcoming years they will be the leaders of St. Stephens. It is important that they have enthusiastic and strong people to help lead them to many more prosperous years. Soon high school will be just another memory or, for some, not so fond a memory. This class is one that will never see a closed door and will always keep looking beyond the horizon and shooting for the stars.



L. Simon



K. Price

LeAnne has a look of nervousness and puzzlement. Is that what all sophomores are made of?

"No, I'm not breaking the line, just moving up a little bit."

sophomores

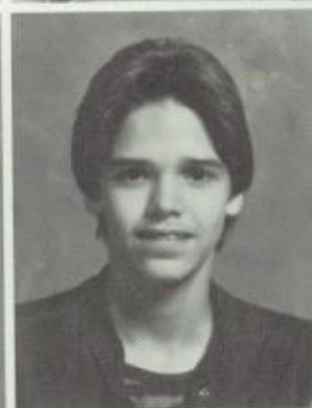
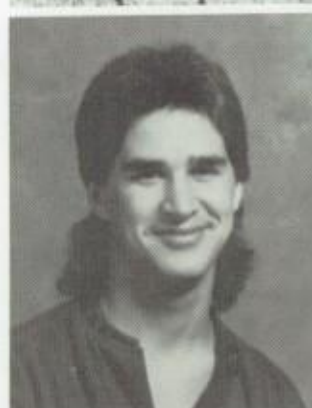
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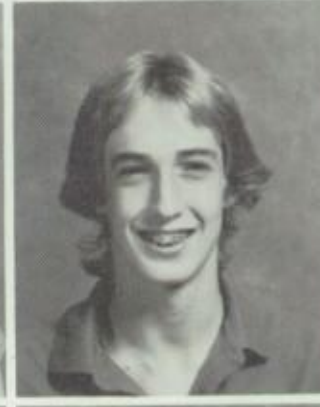
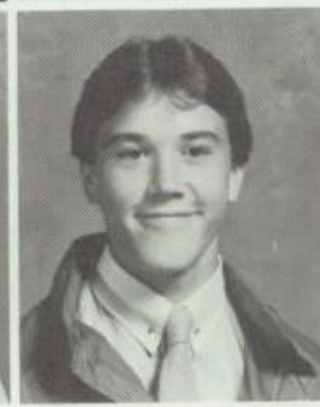
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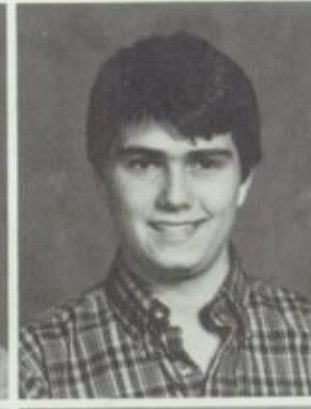
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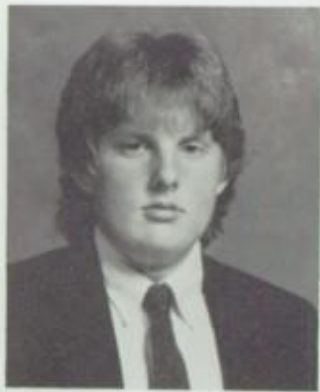
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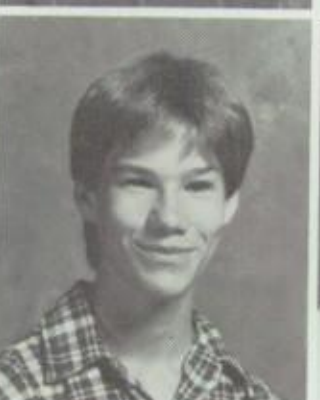
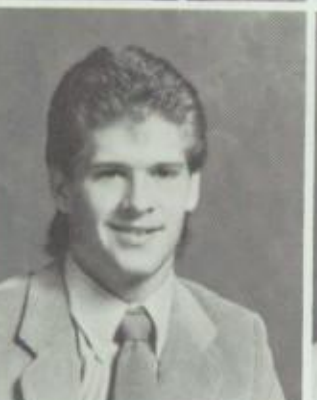
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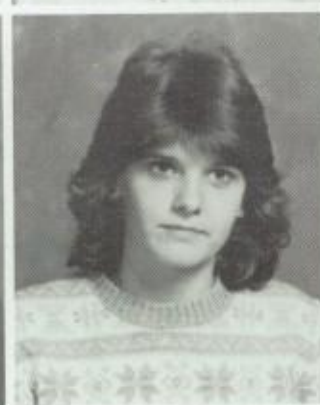
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"Indians are number one
and so am I!", shouts Travis
Bryant.

Christy Hedrick
Connie Hedrick



Donnie Hefner
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Marsel Hensley
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sophomores



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Charles Hollar
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Kurt Hollar
Anne Holmes



Christy Holmes
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Katrina Hoyle
Dottie Hudson
Lynnette Hudson
Amy E. Huffman
Amy K. Huffman



Chad Huffman
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Leslie Huffman
Kathryn Huggins
Cameron Hyler



Lorie Ikerd
Amanda Isenhour
Shannon Isenhour
Charlotte Jennings
Donna Johnson



Tanya Jolley
Rochelle Kalkwarf
Todd Kanipe
Ronda Keller
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Kristy Kiger
Khristy Killian
Gaye Killian
Jaquetta Killian



Jeff Killian
Mark Killian
Jennifer Kirby
Frieda Kessler
Kelly Klaus



Bryan Lackey
Shelly Laffon
Devan Lail
Karen Lail
Betty Ledford



Stephanie Lee
Lindee Lenoir
Jeff Leonard



Anissa Stafford is ready to trash her homework and get fired up for the weekend.

Andy Lewis
Thomas Lichtefeld
Vanisha Linebarger



Chip Little
Tonya Little
David Lowe



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Robert Lowe
Hope Marshall
Becky Martin
John Mayo
Kevin McCloy



Debbie McCurry
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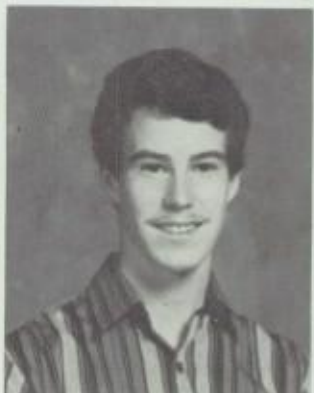


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Susan Meunier



Tina Michael
Alicia Miller

"Can you believe it?" "I finally made an 'A' in Geometry!"



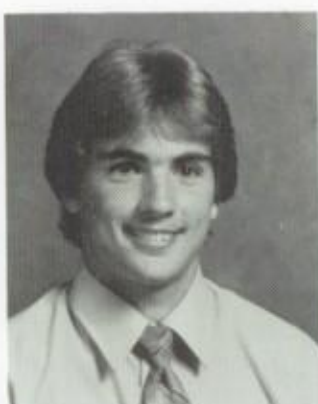
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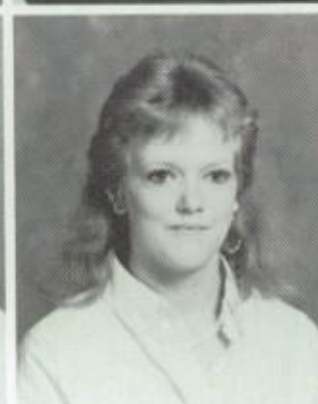
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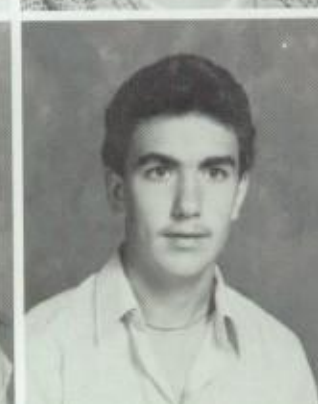
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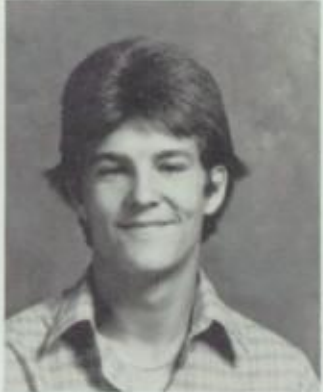


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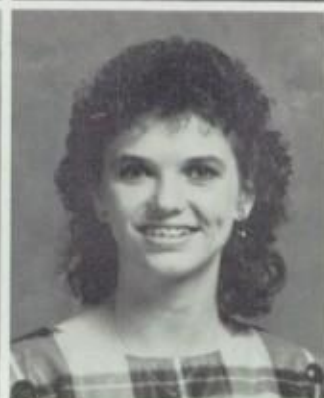


Jeff Sigmon
Jimmy Sigmon
Mark Sigmon

"I love to stuff my face,
but I also watch my figure,"
munches **Kelli Klaus.**



Jason Simmons
Lisa Smart
Jeff Sneed



Bridgett Southerland
Carol Sparks
Tracy Spencer

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Kechia Springs
Anissa Stafford
Ann Stafford
Trent Starnes
Mandy Steed



Mariah Stone
Lee Stoss
Andrea Stubbs
Steven Taylor
Kathy Taylor



Sandy Teague
Jennifer Templeton
Vickie Terry
Richard Thomas
Renee Trammel



Frankie Trivette
Kevin Turpin
Mark Wagner



"No, I don't always eat my lunch on the floor."

Lisa Walker
Tammi Walker
Lana Walsh



Richard Ward
Kevin Warren
Rodney Warren





Crystal Waters
Nathan Watkins
Chris Watters
Pam Watts
Tracy Weaver



Kristie White
Dorie Wilfong
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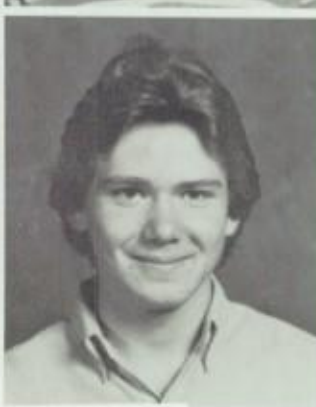


Michael Witt
Laura Woodby

Katrina Hoyle desperately tries to explain to **Katie Hollar** that boys just aren't worth the hassle.



Regina Woodie
Denise Woods

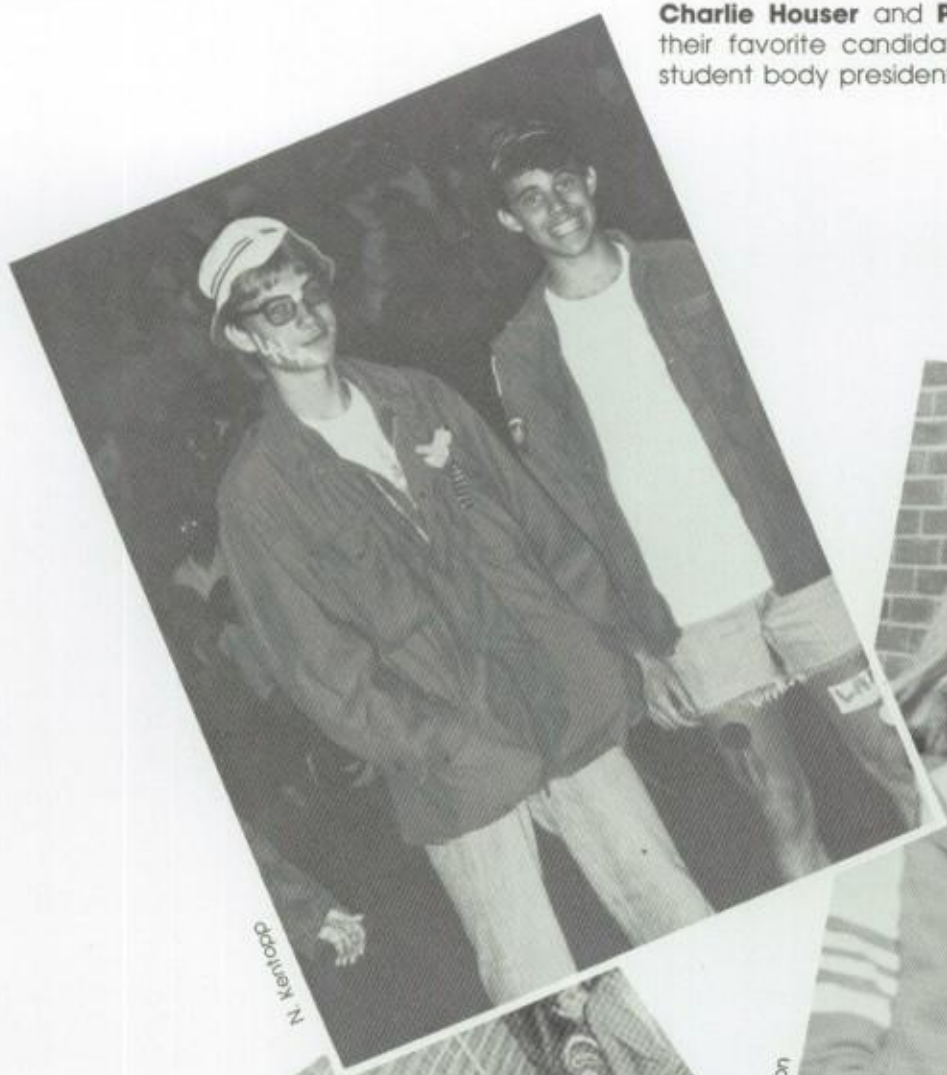


Eddy Wright
Tim Yelton
Doug Yoder
Kristi Yoder
Jimmy Young



Mon Peng Yueh
Kristen Zimmerman

Charlie Houser and **Philip Bunton** try to get their favorite candidate, Lala Austin, elected student body president.



N. Kenyon

Cheerleaders **Carol Dunton** and **Addie Sigmon** discuss cheerleading techniques on their way to lunch.



L. Sigmon



L. Sigmon

These students wait outside the lunchroom wishing that they did not have to go to their next class.



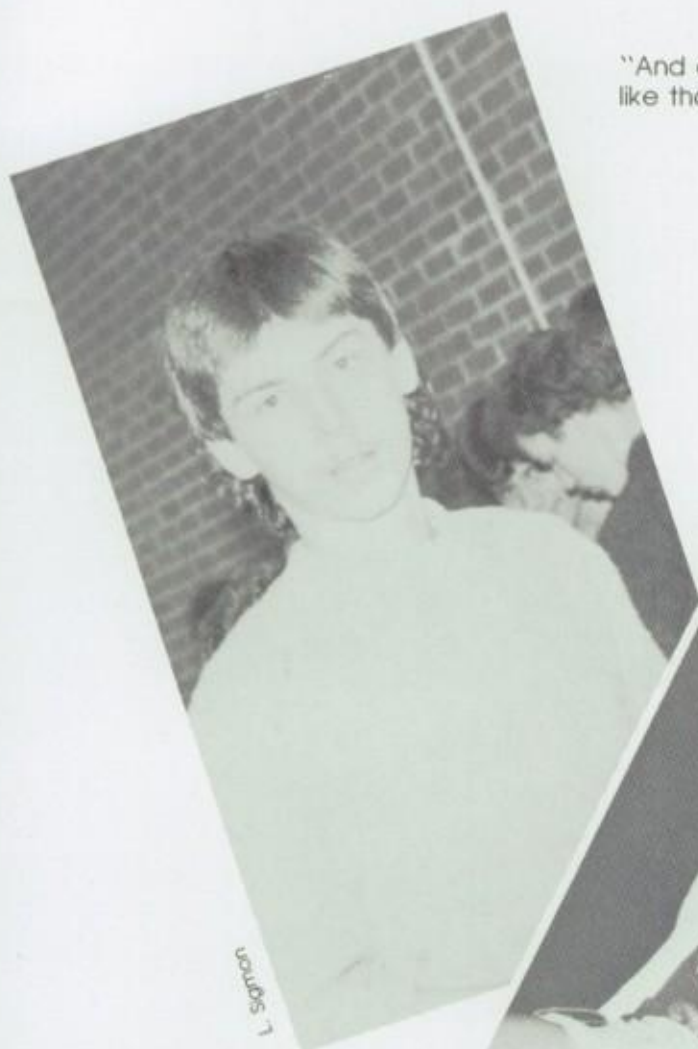
L. Sigmon

Friends gather in the crowded lunchroom to have a brief moment from their tiring day.

"And do you think I would really do something like that?" comments **Jeff Powell**.

As we entered the doors of St. Stephens for the third year in a row, we could finally feel like we were home. No more waiting at a cold bus stop and no more waiting near the end of that lunch line. Yes, we made it, but along with these privileges and the honors of Beta Club and junior marshals, we also had to deal with harder classes, higher expectations, and the worries of that future we had yet to plan. It was tough, but we struggled and strived, and we, the class of '87', survived. Next year, as seniors, we will shine.

Ready for the beach, junior **Chris Whitson** says, 'Hey dude? What's happening?'



L. Simon



N. Kentopp



L. Simon



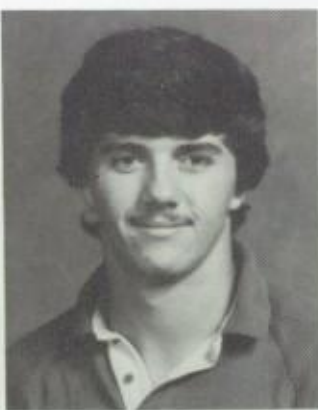
N. Kentopp

Lisa Weaver and **Delaine Costner** let us know that passing an orange under the chin isn't the easiest thing in the world to do.

"What is this that I'm eating?" wonders **Michael Elmore**.

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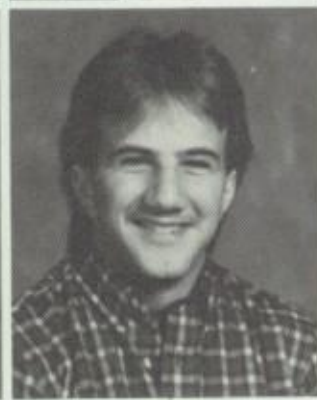
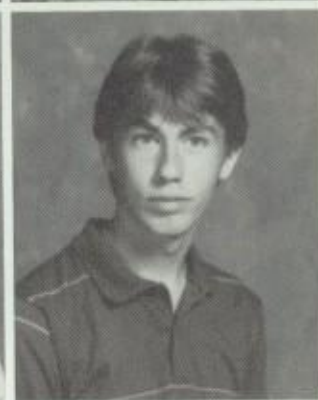
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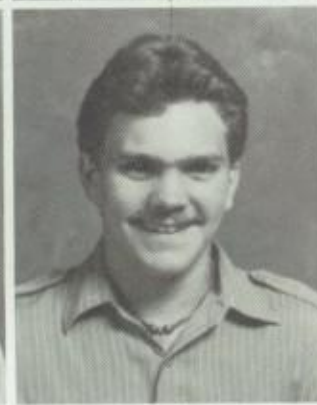
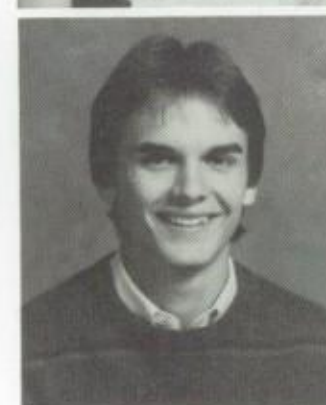
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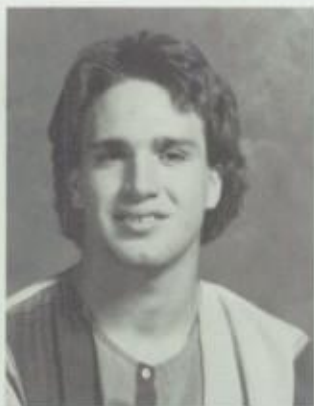
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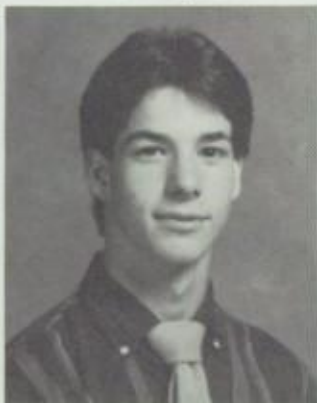
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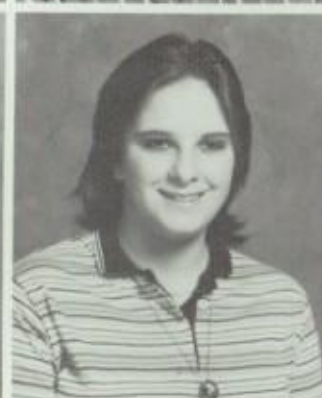
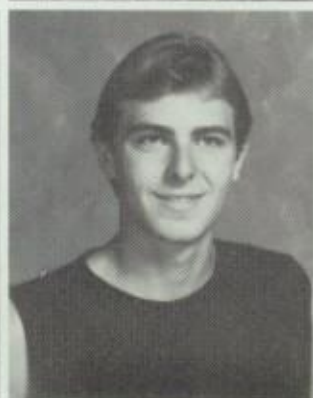
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Kenny Federico
Wayne Fleming
Steve Floyd
Melissa Franklin
Dee Fry



Kathy Futrell
Scott Gay
Chris Gibson
Joel Gilbert
May Gilliam



Steve Goins
Lisa Grandstaff



Shay Starnes, junior class president, sleeps on the way back from an exciting Student Council retreat.



Anne Gravitte
Annette Greene



Darren Gunnels
Zack Guthrie
Teresa Haas
Chris Hager
Stephen Hall



Tommy Hall
Carla Harris
Karen Harrison
Trina Harrison

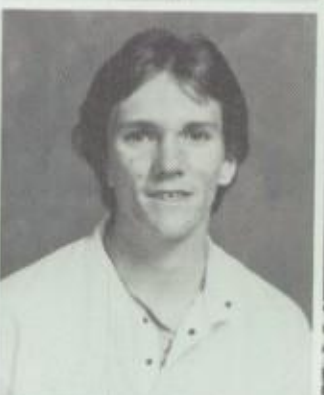




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Connie Hefner
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Kelvin Hefner



Benny Helton
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Julie Herman
Sandy Herman
Tracy Herman



Tim Hewitt
Heather Hicks
Ray Hicks
Mike Hill
William Hitaffer



Wendy Hoke
Michelle Hollar
Robin Hollar
Rodney Hollar
Shannon Hollar



Steven Hollar
Tracy Holsclaw
Mark Houser
Scott Hubbard
Andy Huffman



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Katharine Hutchinson
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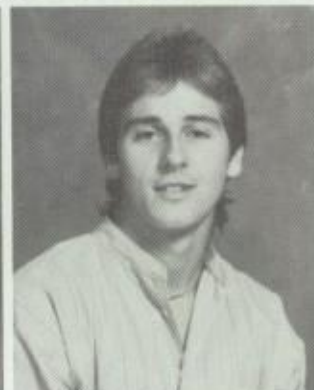
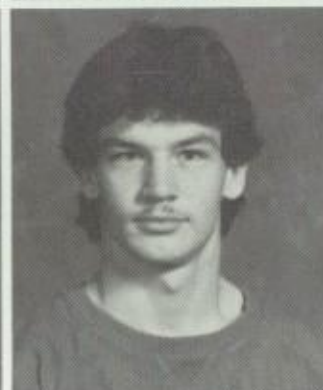
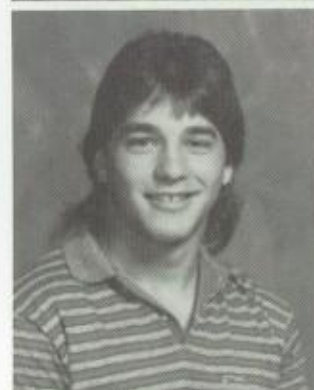
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Rusty Johnson
Tamara Jolley
Sandy Kamlor
Donna Kanipe



Brad Kanipe
Shawn Kelly
Marty Killian



Lisa Jenkins, trying to hear
all of the latest gossip,
listens closely to her friends.

Shannan Killian
Susan Killian
Linda King



Rodney King
Crystal Kirby
Brad Koser



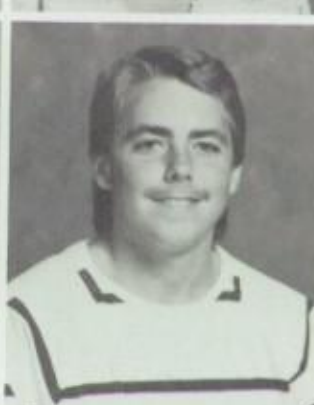
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Mark Lail
Michael Lail
Scott Lail
Christine Lambert



Paul Landis
Rick Ledford
Amy Little
Bobbi Little
Beth Loffin



Barbara Lowman
Rodney Lowman

Melinda Clampitt, Denise Huffman, Telitha Evans, Carla Harris, and others discuss the daily problems at lunch.



Leanne Lowrimore
Denise Lunsford



John Lutz
Karen Lutz
Mark Lynn
Nicole Maddox
Laurie Mantysoori



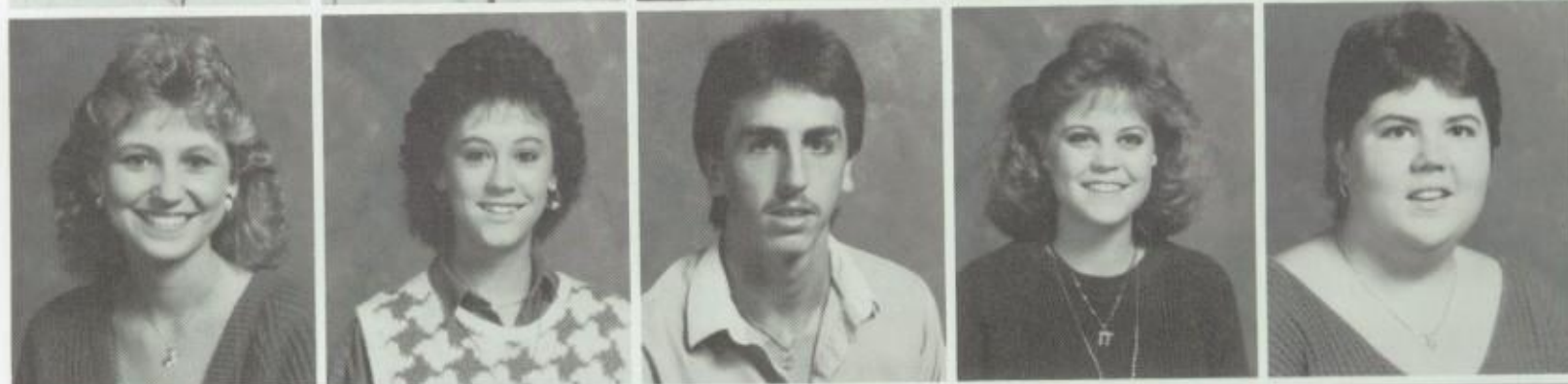
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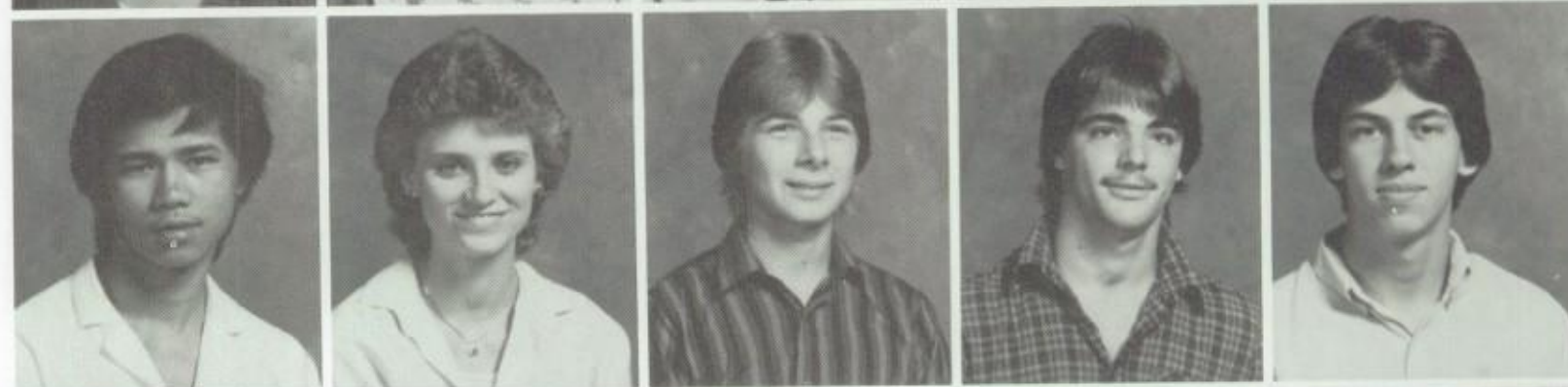
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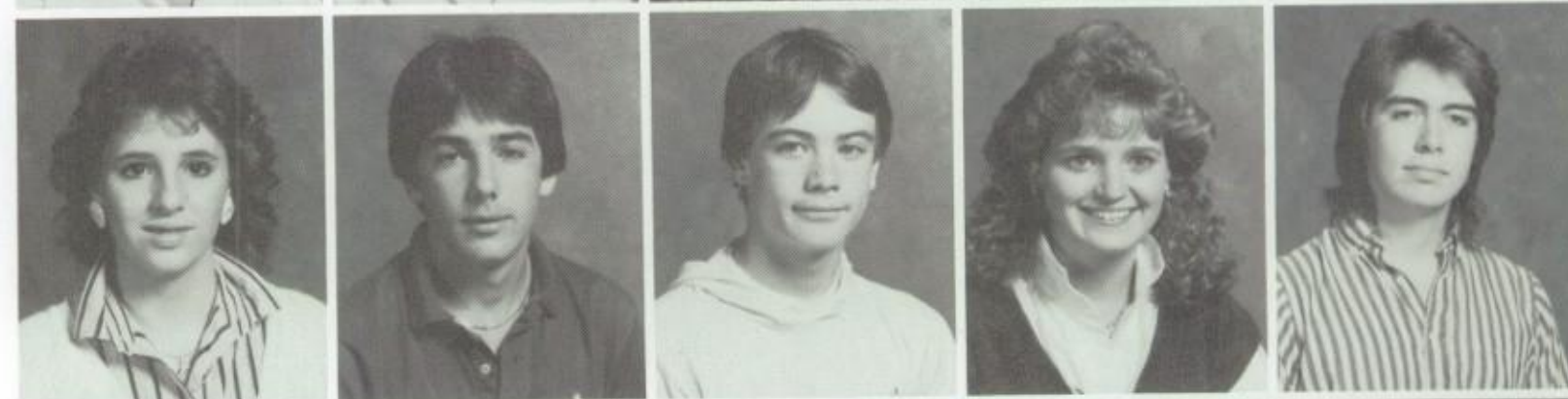
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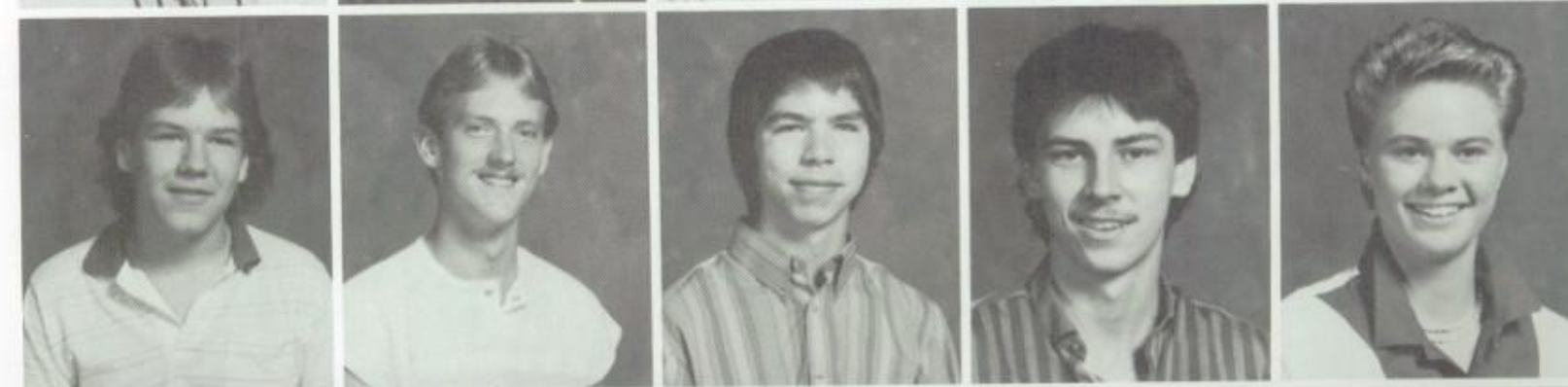
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Robert Ormand



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Jason Petty
Andy Phelps
Pam Phillips
Jason Piekarski



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Tommy Poole
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Valerie Poynter



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Cindy Propst
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Paul Queen

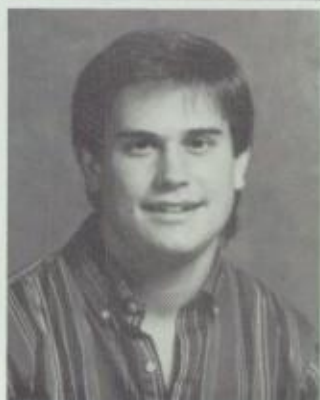
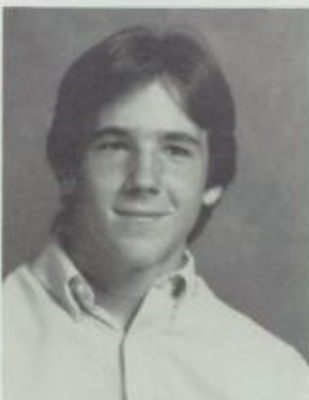




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Mike Reynolds



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Kim Ruff
Eric Sain



Rick Sain
Rodney Sain
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Mark Setzer
Brett Shook
Deborah Shook

Cheerleader **Susan Killian**
waits for her friends outside
the gym before lunch.



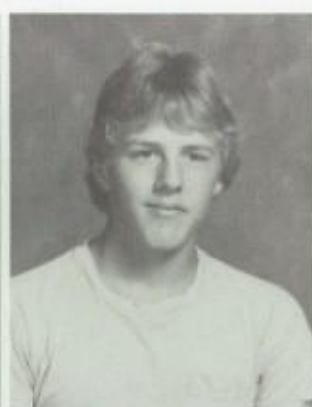
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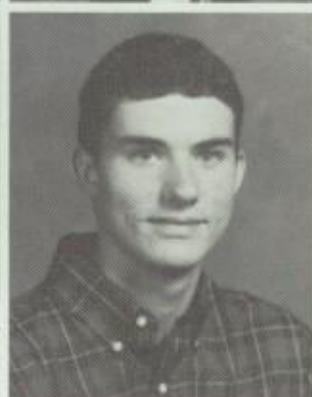
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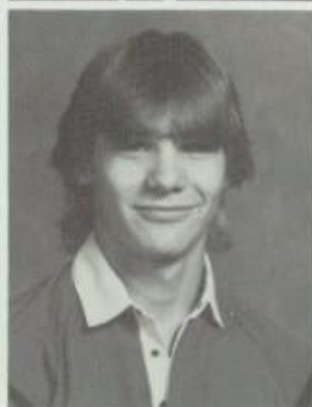
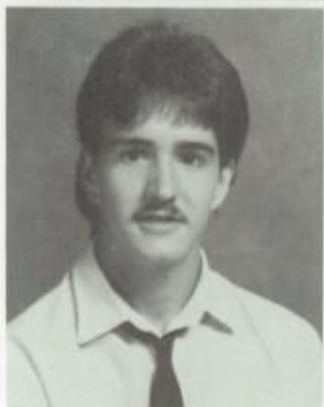
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Pam Starnes



Kelly Sigmon and Carolyn Travis try to push their way through the long and crowded lunch lines.



Shay Starnes
Kevin Steed
Scott Stillwell



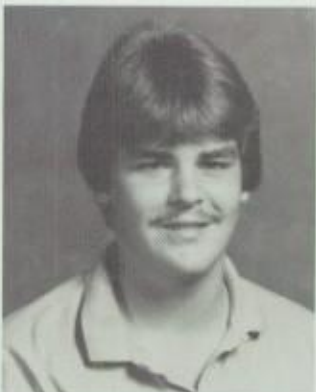
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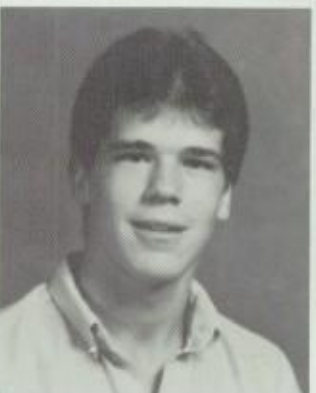
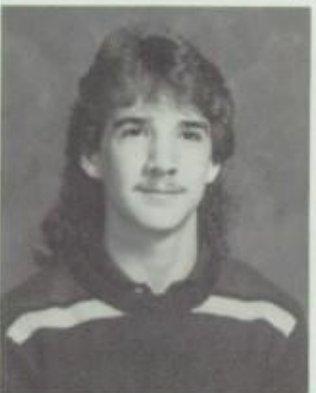
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Lisa Weaver
Laura Weeldreyer
Amanda Westby



Ryan Whetzel
Chris Whitson
Daniel Williams
Steven Williams
Lori Williams



James Wilson
Tony Wood
Derrick Woody
Gina Wright
Roland Wright



Tina Wright
Ronnie Yoder
Shane Yount

SENIORS



Lala Austin works hard in physics, while Angie Teague takes time to chat with friends.

Mavis Martin displays the "cool" way for studying geometry.

Denise Hurtado wonders, "What do I say next?" in Spanish class.



H. Spatz

With spirit and pride, the St. Stephens High School seniors accomplished a great deal, making their senior year their best year ever.

Being number one at pep rallies by supporting their "fighting Indians" in athletic competition, participating in magazines sales for the last time, and most of all, being the guests at the Junior-Senior prom were only a few of the many fond memories of the class of 1986.

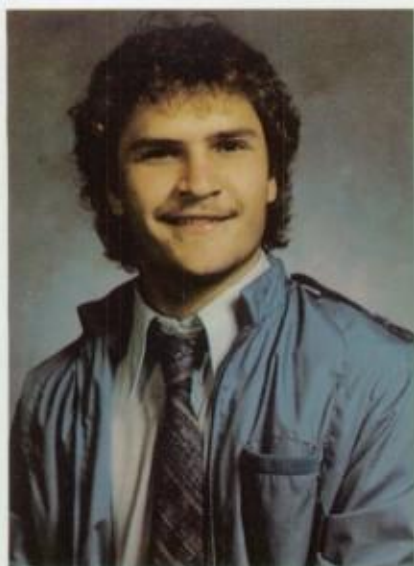
But now the time had come for tears and waving good-bye as they left behind the best years of their lives.

These last two years we stayed up until 4:00 trying to finish yet another term paper. Some of us will never see or write one again; others of us will have four more years of late-night study. We were all in a frenzy to finish college applications, then came waiting for the responses. We have waited a long time, but the work was worth the effort in the end.

This group of seniors will continue to set high goals, strive to attain them, and in time they will achieve their dreams and aspirations.



N. Kentopp



Timothy Charles Aaron



Sherry Dean Adams



Jackie Ellen Adcox



Chrystal Je'anne Aldridge



Rhonda Marie Allison



Terri Lynn Allison



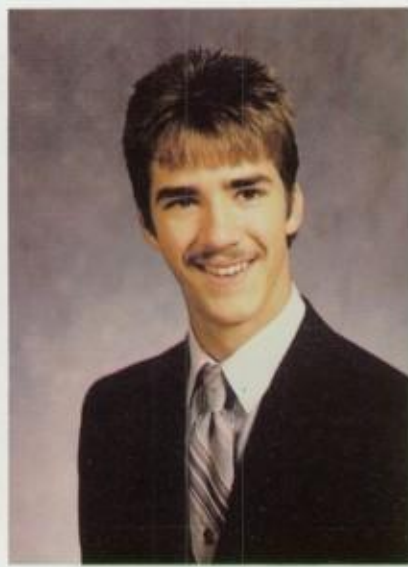
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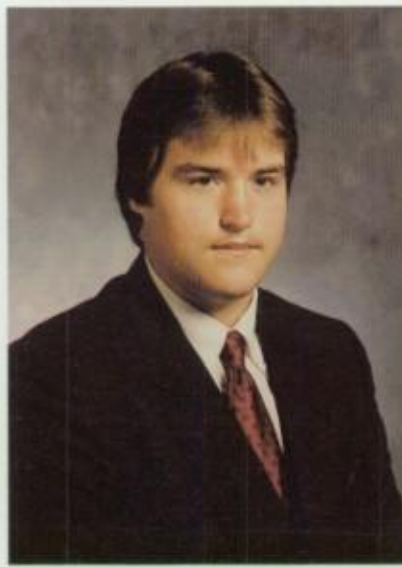
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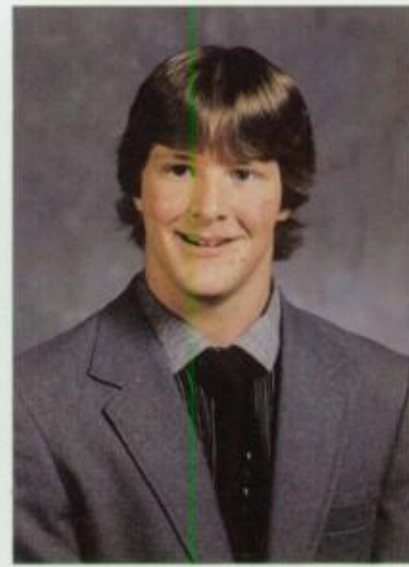
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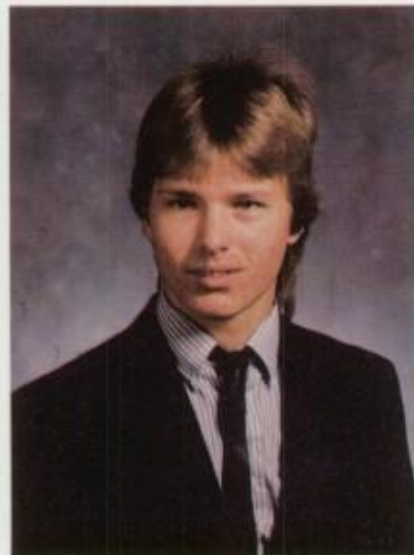
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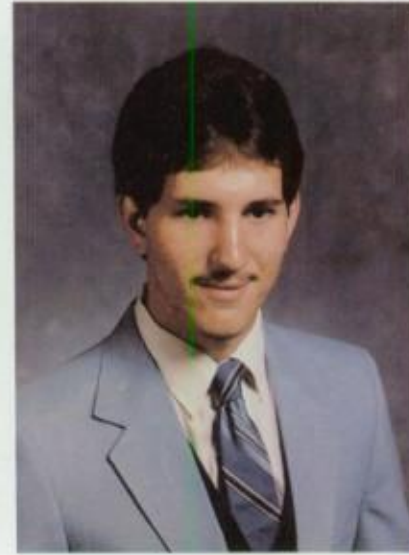
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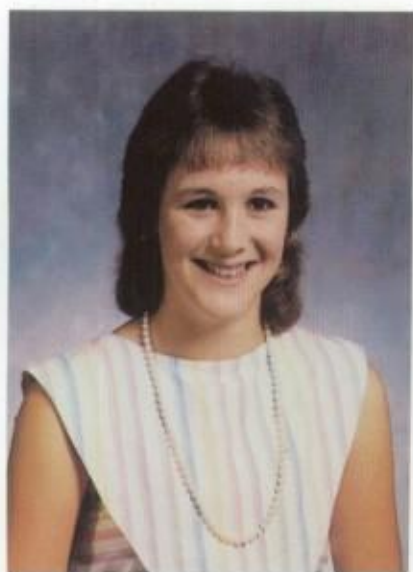


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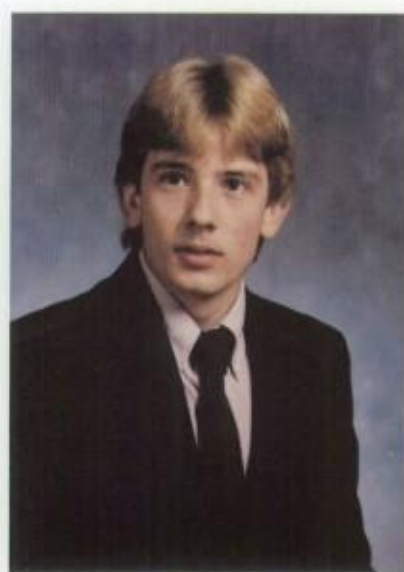
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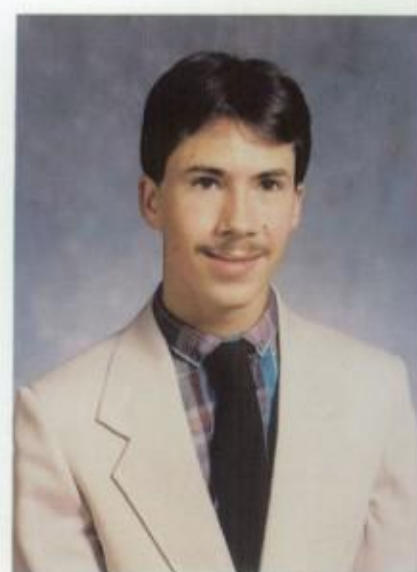
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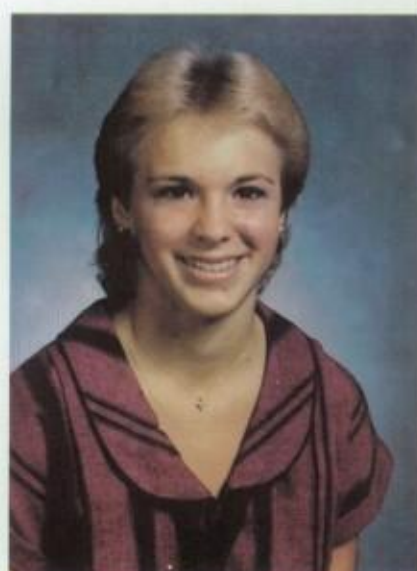
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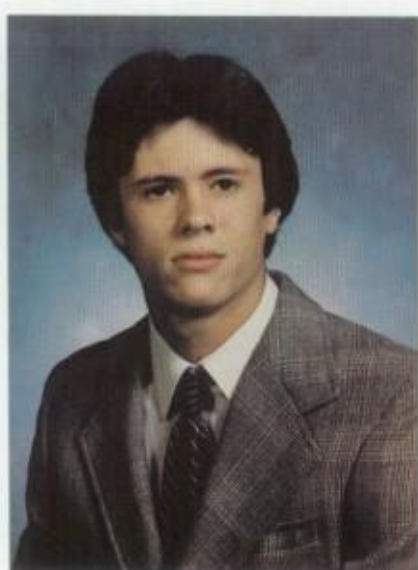
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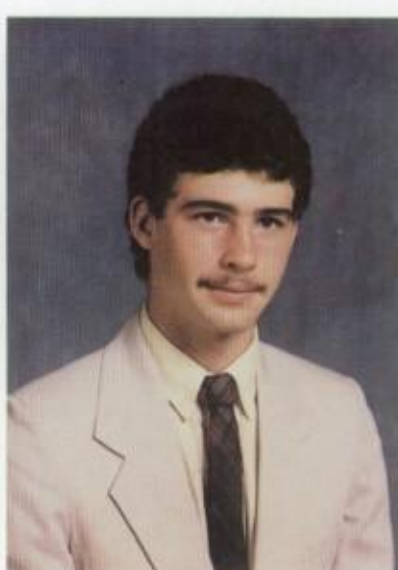
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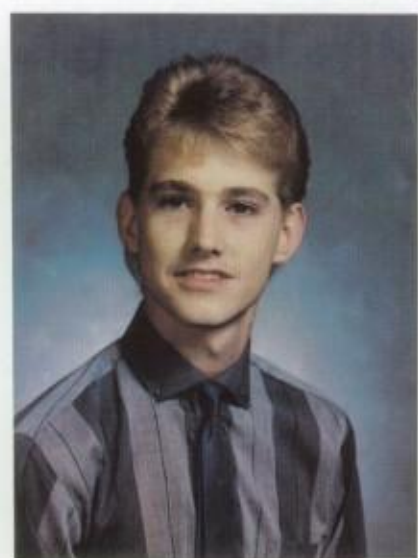
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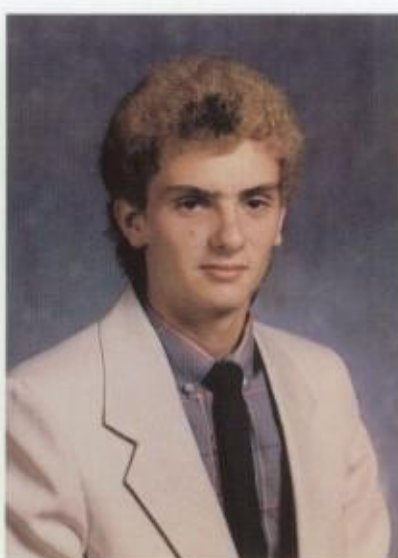
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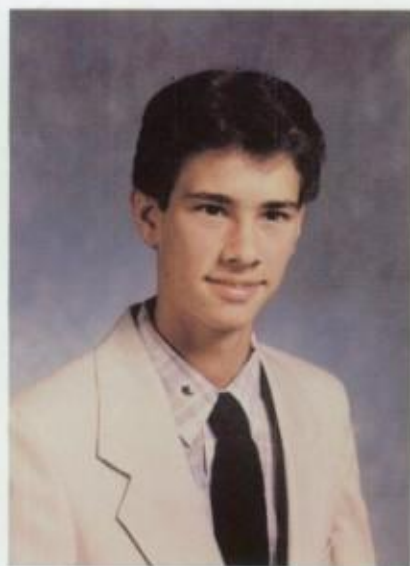
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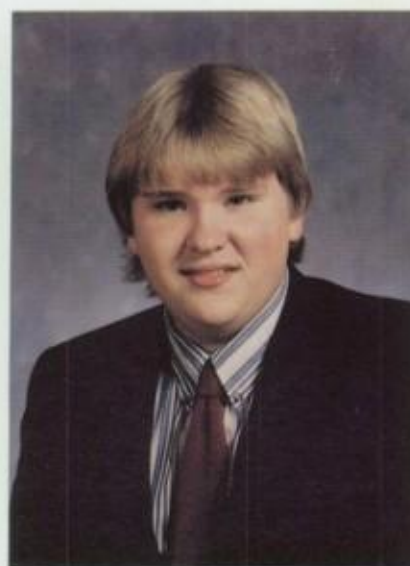
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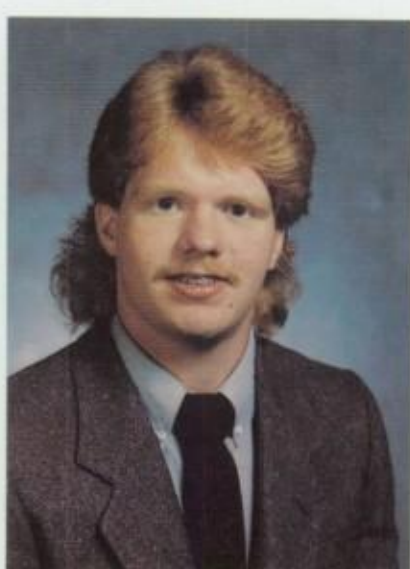
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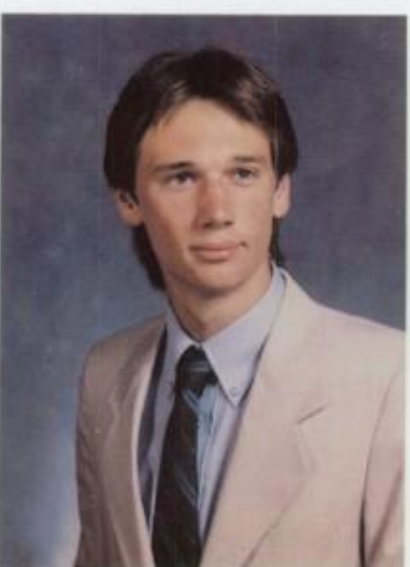
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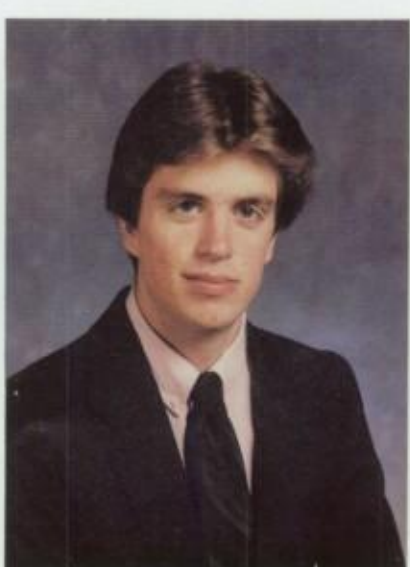
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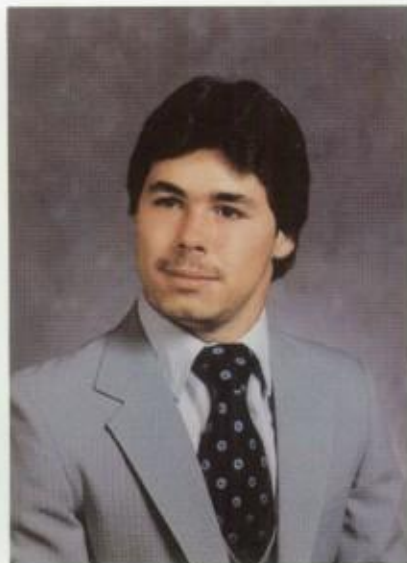


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John Franklin Eagle



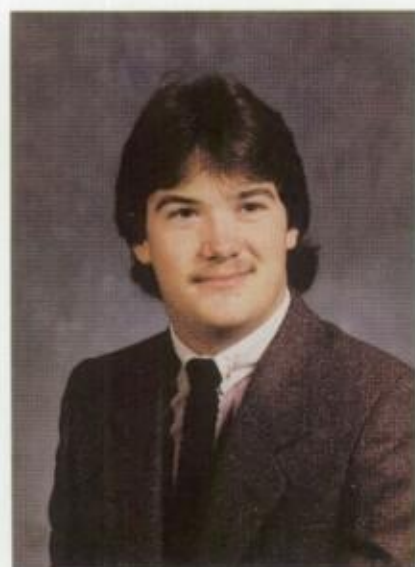
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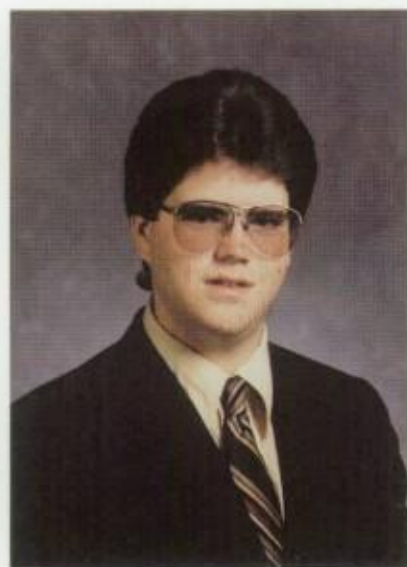
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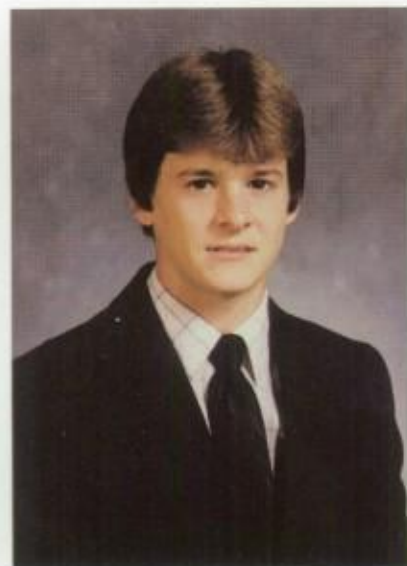
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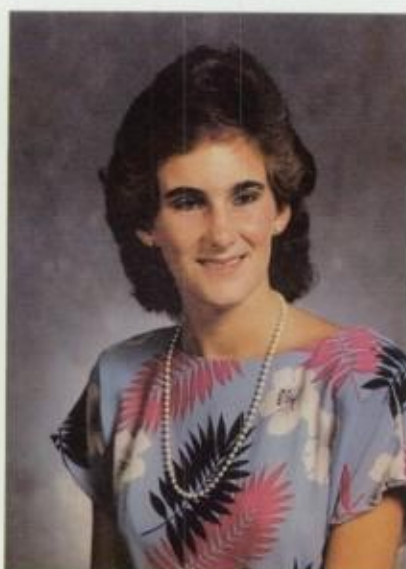
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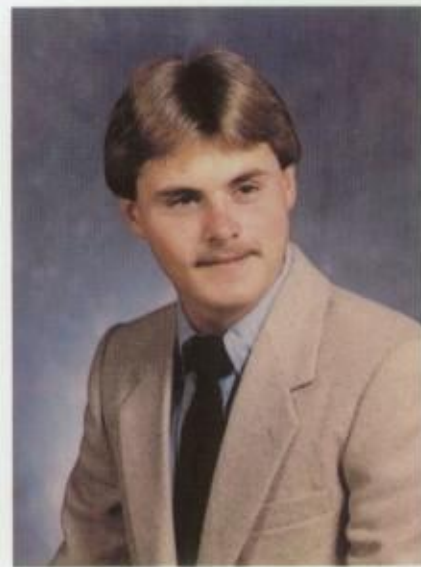
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Shannon, this is no way to spend lunch.



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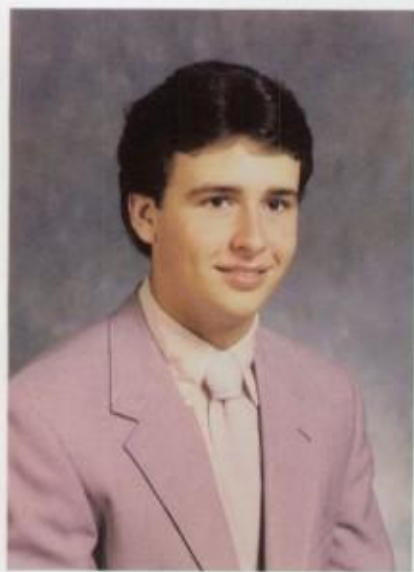
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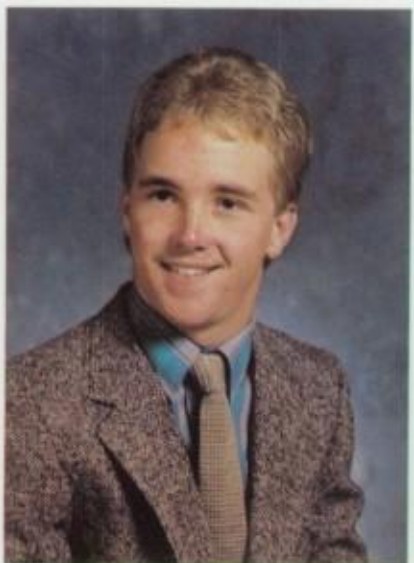
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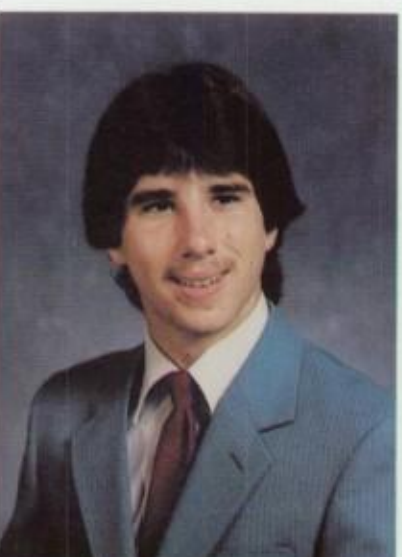
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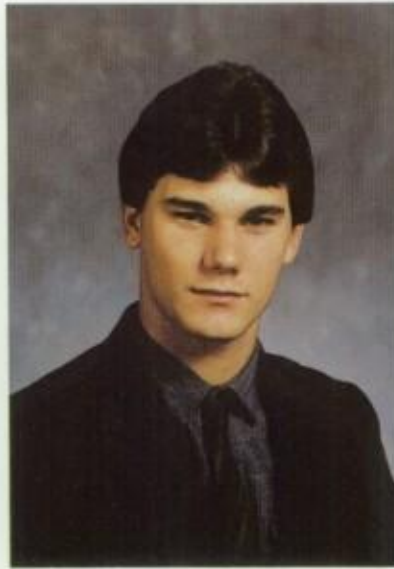
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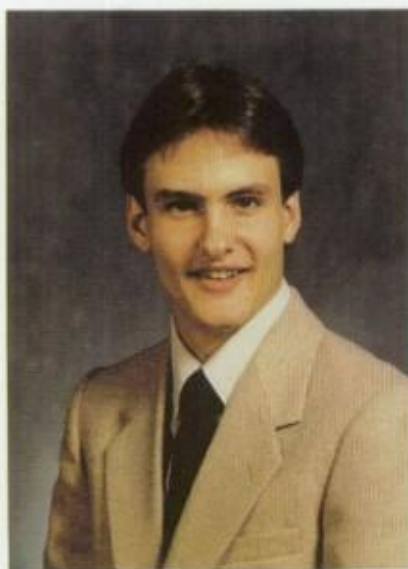
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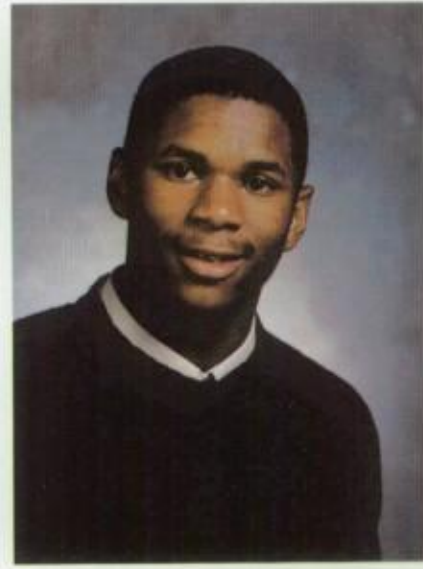
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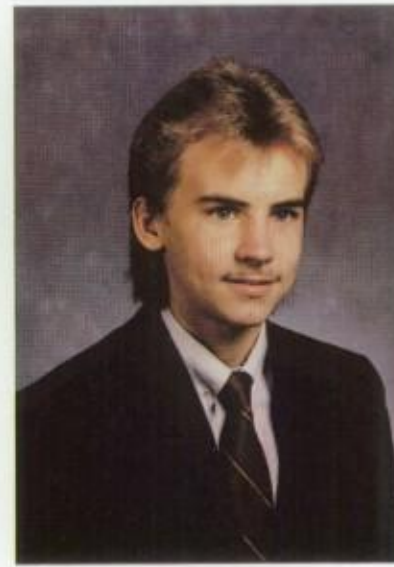
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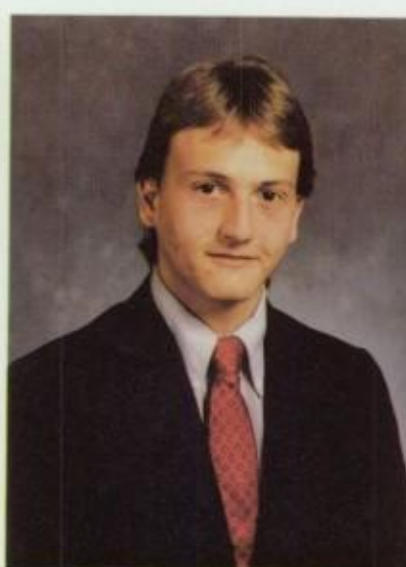
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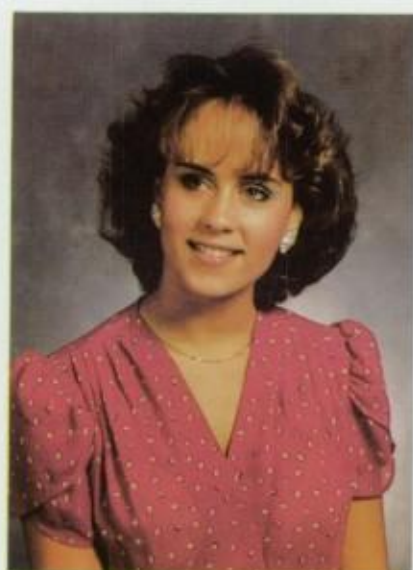
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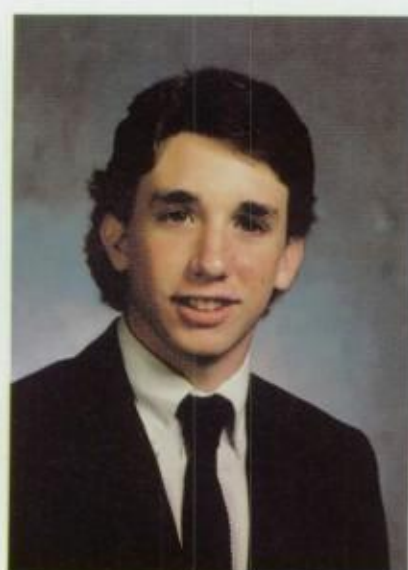
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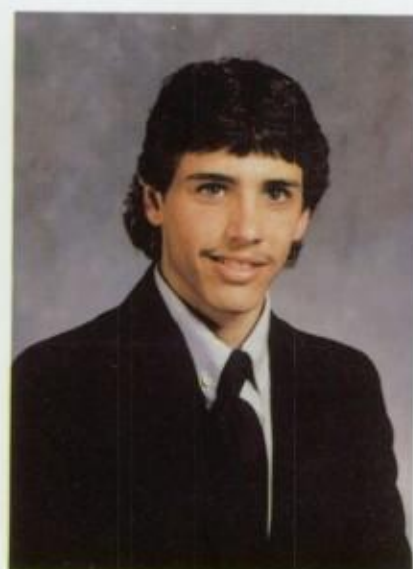
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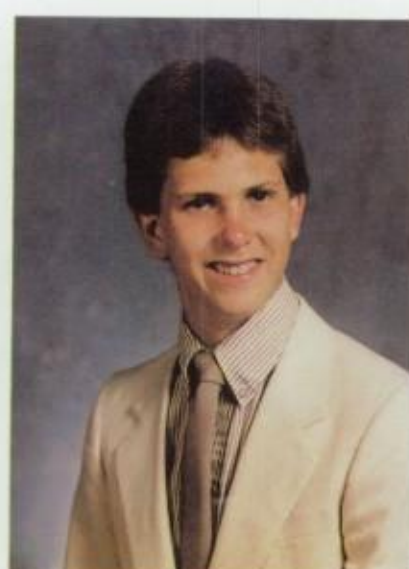
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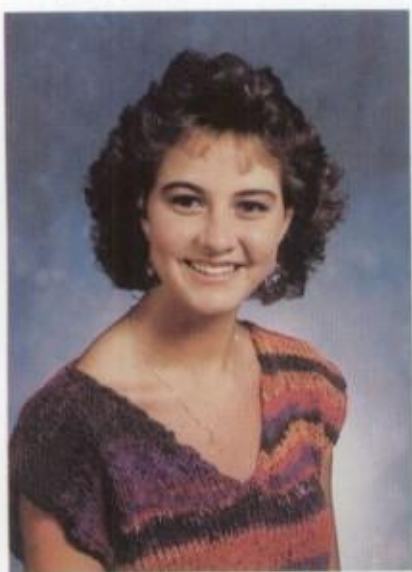


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Jennifer Leigh Marshall

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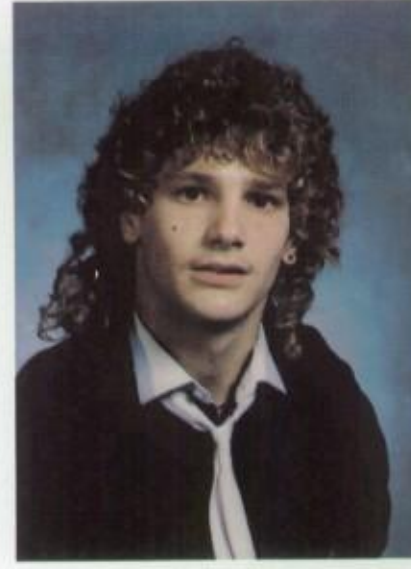
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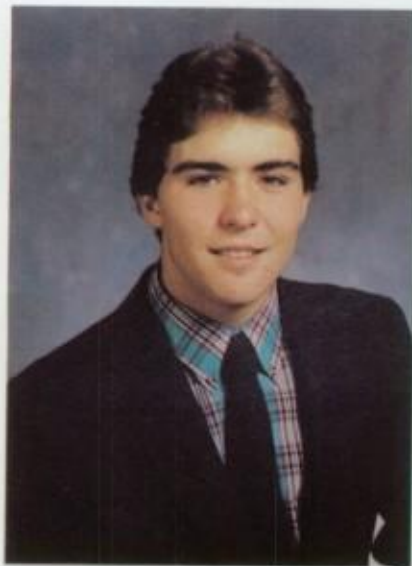
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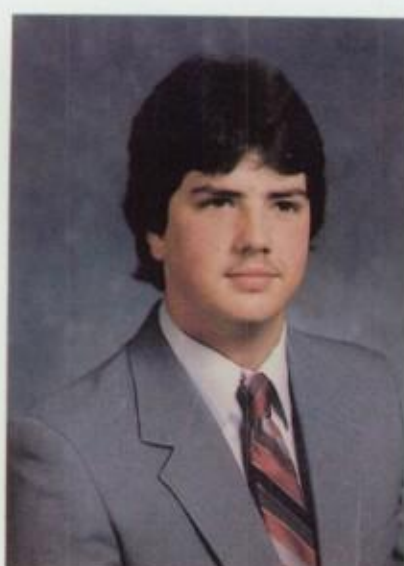
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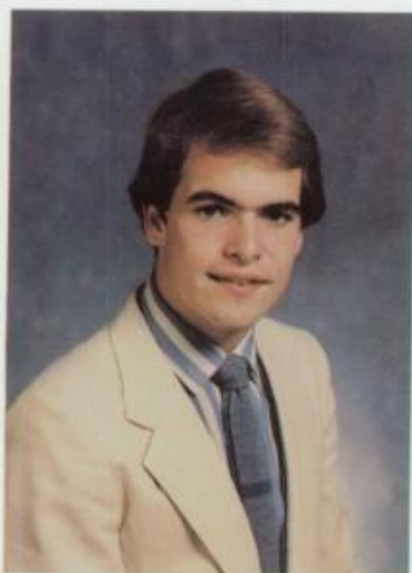
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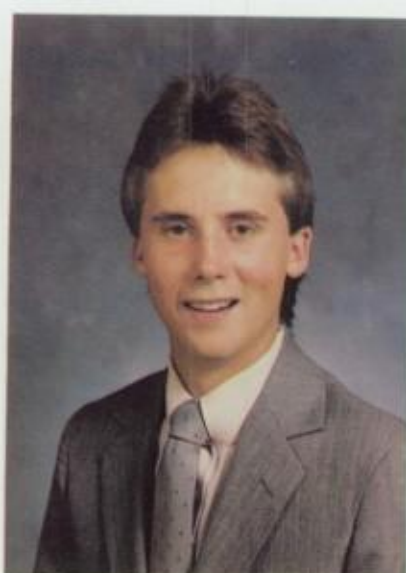
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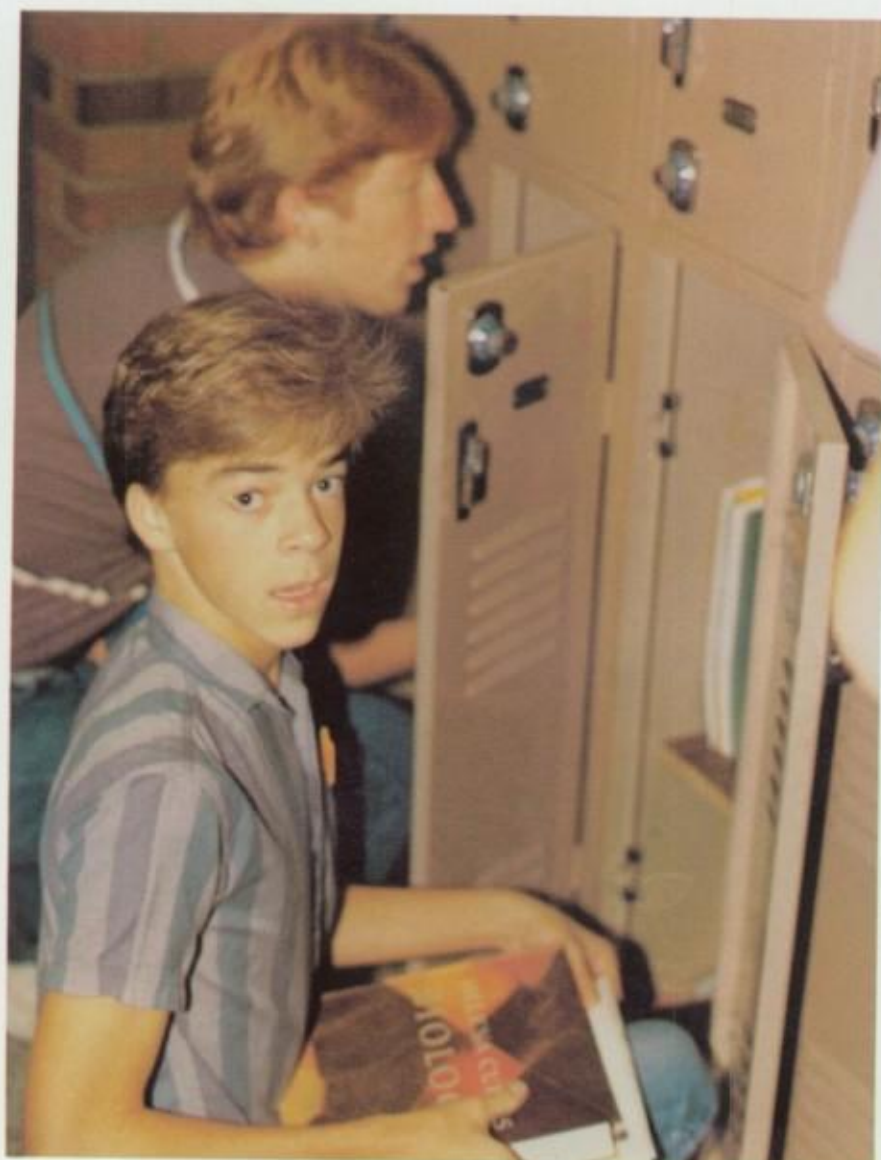
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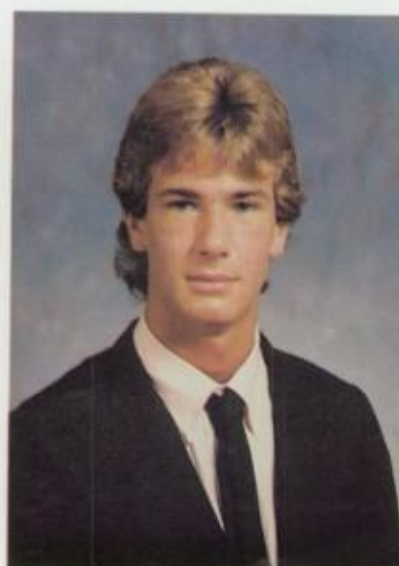
So, **Robbie**, what's really in your locker?



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Amy Lynn Pope



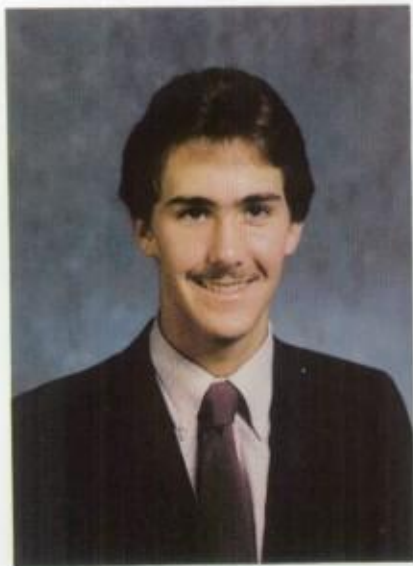
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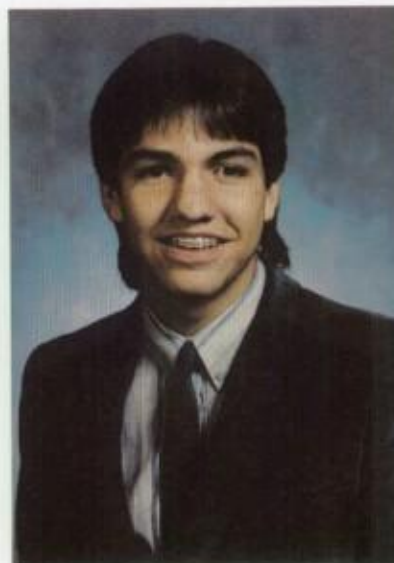
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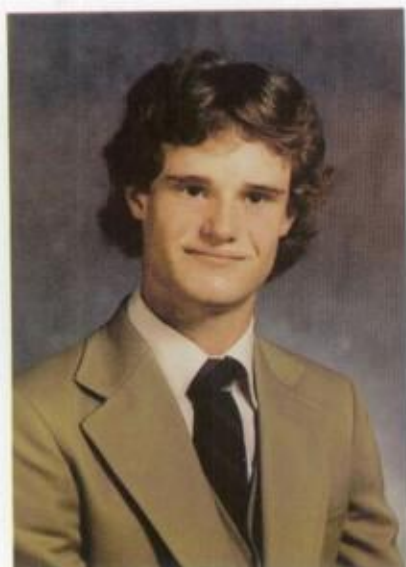
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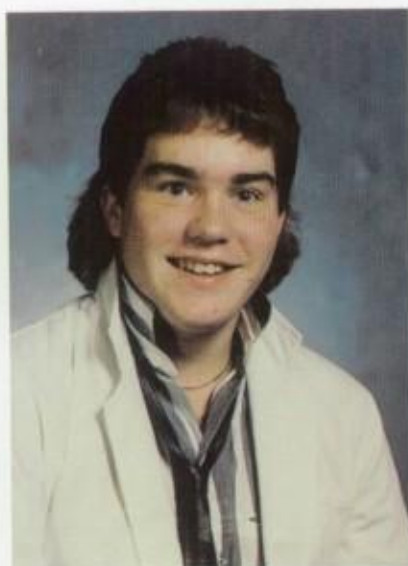
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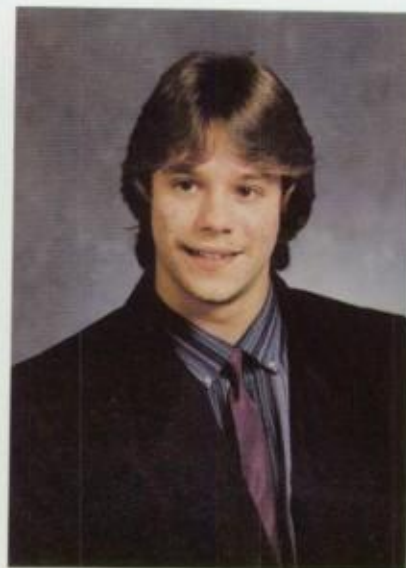
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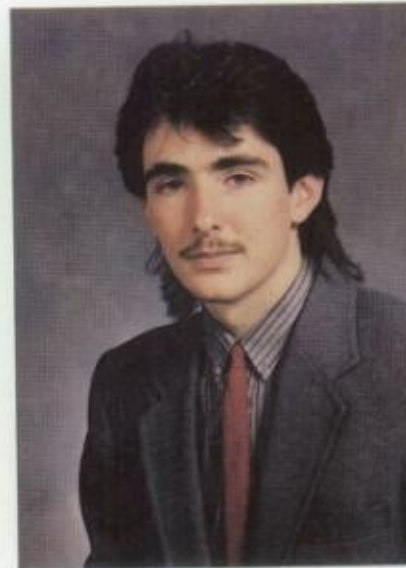
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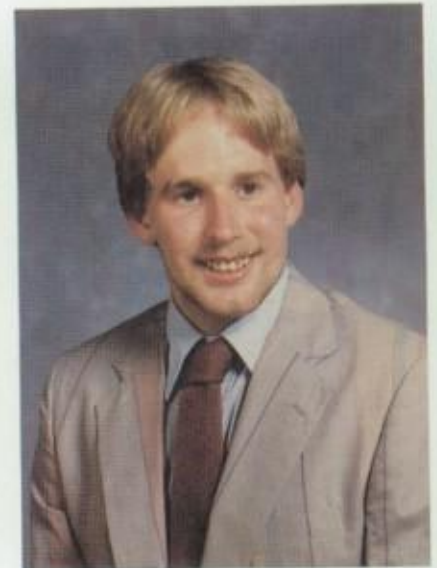
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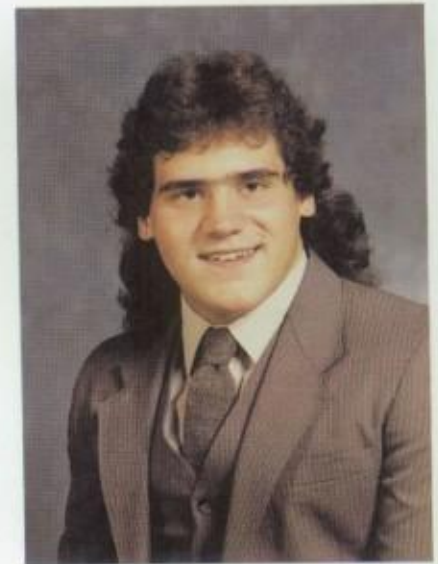
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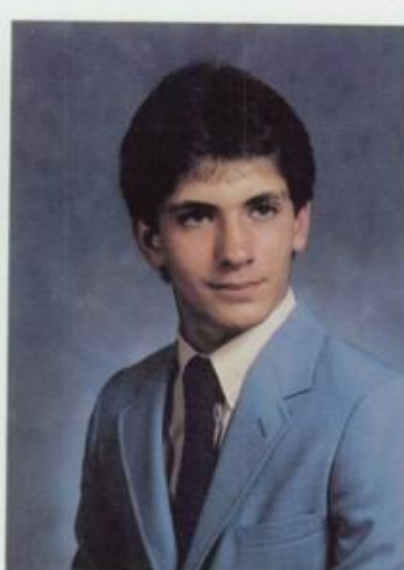
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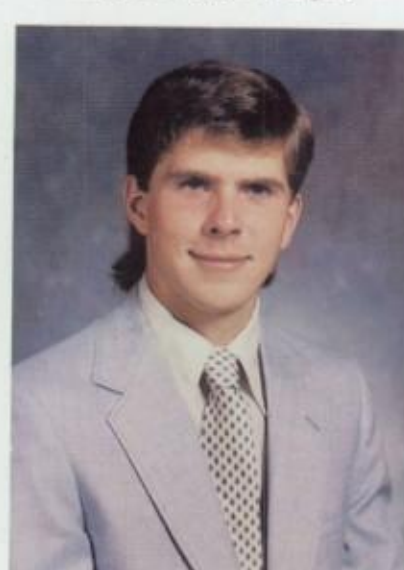
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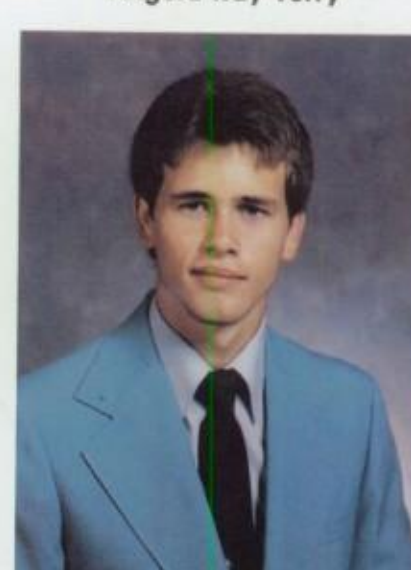
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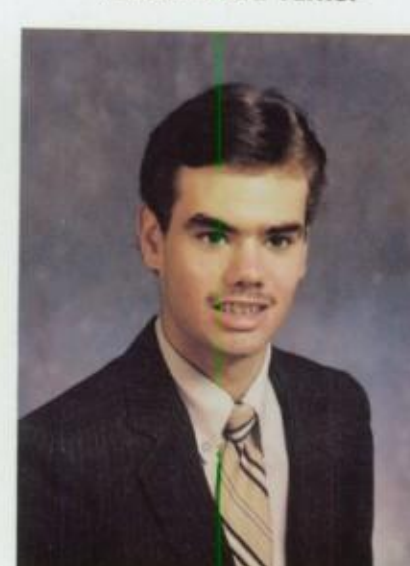
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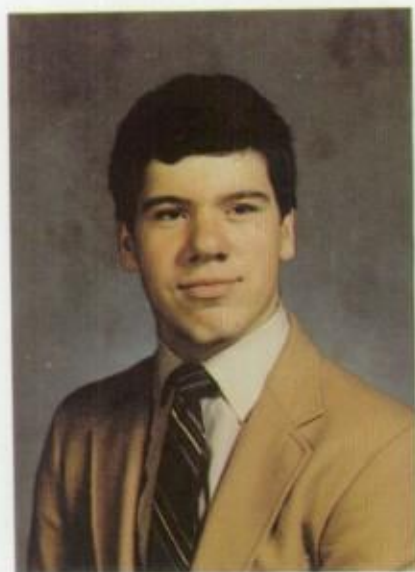
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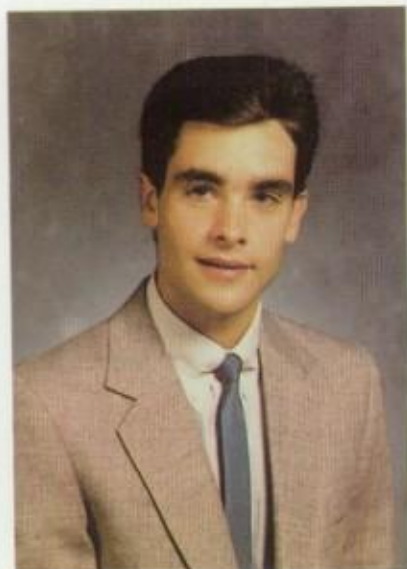
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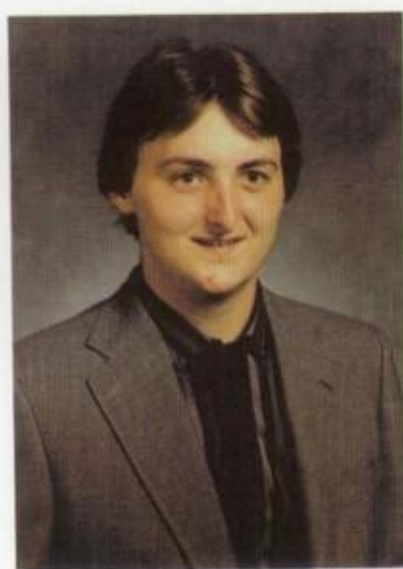
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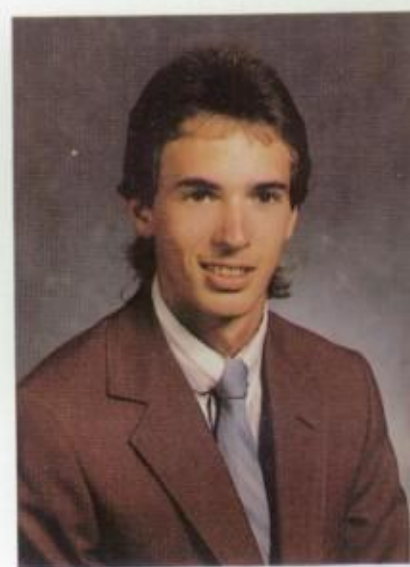
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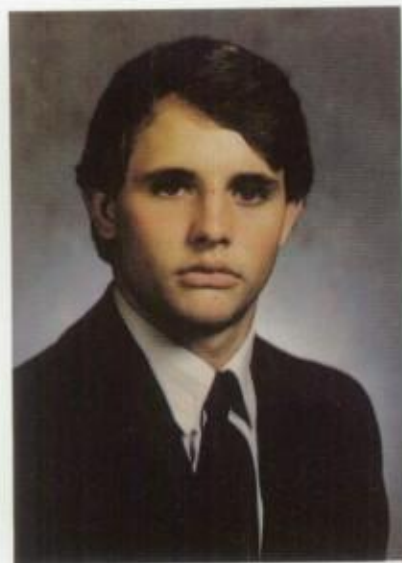
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Leigh Anne Woods



Chad Andrew Young



Lisa Marie Zimmerman



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Timothy Charles Aaron: FCA 9, Pep 9, 10, Biology 10, 11, Shop 11, 12, Track 9, 10, 11, 12, Football 9, 10, lettered in track.

Sherry Adams: Band 9, 10, 11, 12, Chorus 9, 10, 11, 12, Library 9, 11, 12, Pep 9, 10, FTA 9, 10, 12, SAND 12.

Jackie Ellen Adcox: Biology 10, 11, 12, FCA 9, 10, 12, Monogram 11, 12, Pep 9, 12, Basketball 9, 10, Softball 9, 10, 12, Volleyball Stats. 11.

Chrystal Je'anne Aldridge: Art 10, Biology 10, 11, 12, Sec. 11, 12, FCA 10, 11, FBLA 11, 12, Pep 10, Spanish 10, 11.

Terri Lynn Allison: FCA 10, 11, 12, Pep 10, Spanish 10, 11, 12, FBLA 12, Basketball varsity 10, 11, 12, Beta 11, 12, Junior Usher 11.

Lala Denise Austin: Student Council 10, Trea. 11, Pres. 12, Spanish 9, 10, Trea. 11, 12, Beta 11, 12, FCA 9, 10, Pep 9, 10, Biology 10, 11, Radio Staff 10, Band 9, 10, Debate 11, Nominated for the N.C. School of Science and Mathematics.

Phillip Wayne Baker: Chorus 9, 12, Art 10, 11, Biology 12.

Tashia Elizabeth Baird: French 9, 11, 12, Biology 11, 12, Band 9, 10, 11, 12 Flag Corp 12, Pep 10, SADD 12.

John David Barger: FCA 10, 11, 12, Car-making 10, 11, 12, Track 9, 10, 11, 12, Football 9, 10, 11.

Marion Denise Beck: Extended Day Trea. 12, Library 10, 11, Trea., Miss SSHS Pageant 10, 11.

Melanie DeLynn Beck: ICT 12, FCA 10.

Mary Krysteen Beckom: FCA 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep 9, 10, Monogram 10, 11, V.P. 12, French 9, 10, 11, V.P. 12, Quill & Schroll 11, 12, Junioresettes 10, Sgt. at Arms 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, Beta 11, Sec. 12, SADD 11, Volleyball JV Cap. 9, Most Valuable Player, Varsity 10, All Con. 11, Cap. 12, Varsity Basketball most improved 9, most improved 10, 11, 12, Softball 9, most improved 10, 11, 12, most outstanding Freshman Girl, Student of Month 10, 11, MVP East Gaston Volleyball Tour. 12, Editor Corona 12, Copy Editor 11, Junior Marshall 11.

David William Bolick: Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12, FBLA 12, Biology 10.

Jennifer Hope Bolick: Band 9, 10, 11, FCA 10, Pep 10, Deca 12.

Marsha Anne Bolick: FCA 9, 10, Biology 11, 12, Pep 9, 10, HOSA 12.

Larry Allen Bradshaw: French 10, 11, 12, FBLA 11, Pres. 12.

Angela Denean Brannon

Kim Bridgeman: Track 10, Biology 10, 11, 12, FHA 12.

Steven M. Broome: Honor Society 10, 11, Spanish 12, Math League 10.

Kevin Mark Brown: Maintenance 10, 11,

Trea. 12, Football 10, 12, Man. JV and V, Track 11, 12, Man. boys and girls, Football JV 11, Lettered in track and football.

Wesley Brown: Extended Day 12.

Phillip Eugene Bunton II: Band 9, 10, Aerospace 9, 10, Sgt. at Arms 11, Science 9, 10, 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, 12, Math 10, 11, French 9, 10.

Stefanie Lee Burket: Spanish 10, 11, Biology 10, AFS 10, SADD 12, Band 9, 10, 11, 12, Beta 11, 12.

Alex Ray Burnett: Radio 9, 10, 11, 12, Editor, JV Basketball 9, 12, V Basketball, JV Football 10, Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Curtis Ross Canella: Spanish 9, 10, 11, Science 11, 12, Biology 12, Basketball 11, Golf 12, Lettered in Golf.

Trina Denise Capps: Spanish 10, 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, VP, Pep 9, 10, Junioresettes 10, 11, SADD 11, Wrestling manager 10, 11, received letter.

Walter Kevin Carpenter: Maintenance 10, Trea. 11, Sec. 12, Biology 11, Bus Driving 11, 12, Maintenance Award 10.

Jimmie Carroll Carter: French 11, Deca 12, Biology 11, FBLA 10.

Jessica Leila Church: Spanish 10, Junioresettes 10, 11, SADD 11, Biology 10, Pres. 11, 12, YAC 9, 10, Pres. 11, Art 9, 10, 11, VICA 12, Pep 9, 10, Wrestling manager 10, 11, received a letter.

Harold Dean Cline: Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12, FCA 10, Biology 10, 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Pep 9, 10, Basketball most improved '84.

Todd Vernon Clontz: Shop 9, 10, 11, 12, Biology 9, 10, 11, 12.

Angela Christine Collins: HOSA 10, FTA 10, Pep 9, Junioresettes 10, Chairman 11, 2nd VP, State Chairman 12, Interact 11, FBLA 11, 12, Radio 11, FCA 9, 10, 11, 12.

Casey Cook: Biology 9, 10, 11, 12.

Ronda Nannette Cook: Spanish 11, 12, Drama 9, 10, Chorus 9, 10, 11, FBLA 12, Biology 9, 10, Basketball stats. 9, Chorus — outstanding junior.

William Scott Costin: JV Football 9, 10, Computer 9, Sec. 10, 11, FBLA 11, FFA 9, 10, 11, Pep 9, 10, VICA 12.

John Darrin Cranfill: Spanish 9, Biology 11, 12, Tennis 10, 11, 12.

Amy Lynn Danner: Pep 9, 10, Biology 11, 12, FCA 10, FBLA 12, English 11, Intro. to Business 11.

Greta Jeanette Deal: Lab asst. 11, Hosa 11, Pres. 12, Health Occupations I.

Kevin Scott Deal: Maintenance 10, 11, 12, Spanish 11, Biology 12.

Matthew Wayne Dean: Science 11, VP 12,

Spanish 10, 11, VP 12, Close-Up Pres. 12, Cross-Country 9, 10, 11, 12, Tennis 10, 11, Eagle Scout '82.

Robert David Dellinger Jr: Biology 10, 11, 12, Spanish 11, 12, Monogram 12, JV Basketball 10, Varsity Basketball 11, 12, Physical Ed. Award 11.

Stephannie Julianne Dougherty: FCA 9, 10, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Junioresettes 10, 11, 12.

David Ray Drum: Shop 12.

Jerry Lee Drum: Extended Day 11, 12.

Debra Ann Duckett: Biology 10, 11, Science 9, 10, 11, SADD 11, 12, Pres. Spanish 10, 11, Beta 11, 12, Band 9, 10, 11, 12.

Carol Jean Earley: Spanish 9, 10, Pep 9, 10, 11, Junioresettes 10, 11, Flag Corp 9, Interact 9, 10.

Lisa Beth Edwards: AFS 9, FCA 9, 10, Pres. 11, 12, Junioresettes 11, 12, Biology 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep 9, 10, 12, Art 11, 12, Miss SSHS Pageant 9, Art I 11, Superintendents Choice Art 11.

Michelle Diane Ekard: FTA 10, Pres. 11 and 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12, FBLA 12, Office Asst. 10, 11, 12.

Michael Herbert Elam: Maintenance 9, Biology 11, 12, FBLA 11, French 11, 12, Science 11, Aerospace 9, 10, Close-Up 12, Debate 9, Award Alg. I Part B.

Gary Thomas Eller: Shop 10, 11, VICA 12.

Cheri Suzette Elrod: HOSA 9, 10, 11, VICA 11, 12, FHA 12.

Cindy Marie Elston: Spanish 10, 11, FTA 11, HOSA 11, FBLA 12.

Pamela Leigh England: Pep 9, 10, Spanish 10, 11, Biology 11, DECA 12, FCA 9, 10, 11, 12, Var. Basketball Stat. 10.

Paige Ashley Evans: Pep 9, 10, FCA 9, 10, 11, 12, DECA 11, 12, Spanish 9, 10, Cheerleader 9, 10, co-head, Homecoming court 9, 12, Miss SSHS 2nd runner up 11.

Tamara Leigh Faulkner: Pep 9, FCA 9, Spanish rep. 10, 11, 12, Junioresettes 10, Chairman 11, Sec. and State Pres. 12, Radio 11, VP 12, Beta 11, 12, Impressions 12, Editor in Chief 12, Quill & Scroll 12, Junior Marshall 11, Spanish II Award 11, Humanities Award 11.

Bruce Edward Fox: JV Basketball 9, 10, Varsity Baseball 11, 12, Cross Country 11, Biology 10, Spanish.

Susan Catherine Freeman: Science 9, 12, Key Club 9, Biology 10, Track 10, Tennis 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, Monogram 11, 12.

Sherri Mellon Frye: FHA 9, 10, HOSA 9, 10, Extended Day 11, 12.

Michelle Lynn Gazzo: FBLA 10, 11, 12.

Anna Carole Geitner: Track and Field 9, 10, 4-H 9, 10, AFS 9, 10, 11, Computer Club





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9, 10, 11, OB 12, FCA 11, 12, OB Diploma, Marine Biology Cert.

Diane Kay Granger: Volleyball 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep 9, 10, Biology 11, FCA 10, 11, 12, Monogram 12, Spanish 10, 12, MVP Volleyball 10.

Debra Halsey: Art 9, 10, 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, 12.

Patrick Shannon Harris: French 10, 11, 12.

Shawna Marie Harris: FCA 11, FBLA 10, 11, 12, FHA 10, Junior Homecoming Rep., Junior Prom Court.

Sharon Renee Hatcock: Volleyball 9, capt. 10, 11, 12, Basketball 9, 10, Softball 9, 11, Pep 9, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Monogram 11, Biology 9, 10, 11, FCA 9, 10, VP for girls 12, Beta 11, 12, Student Council 11, 12, lettered in Softball and Volleyball, Spanish rep.

Jeffrey Todd Hawn: Debate 9, Aerospace 9, VP 10, Biology 11, 12, VICA 12, ICC 10.

Lisa Shawyn Heavner: Pep 9, 10, Beta 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, Juniores 10, FCA 10, 11, DECA 12, Flag Corp 10, capt. 11.

Thalia Lanette Hedrick: Pep 9, DECA 11, 12, Cert. of Achievement in Marketing.

Della Janelle Hefner: French 9, Biology 10, FBLA 11, Juniores 11, FCA 11, VICA 12, Band 9, 10.

Melissa Ellen Hefner: Cheerleading 10, 11, 12, FCA 9, 10, 11, FBLA 12, Pep 9, 10, Monogram 12, Spanish 10, 12.

Gina Dawn Helms: Health Occupations 9, 10, 11, VICA 12.

Tony Helms: Biology 10, 11, 12, DECA 11, 12.

Johnny Helton: French 10, 11, Science 9, 12, Football 9, Wrestling 9.

Valerie Ann Henderson: YAC 9, 10, 11, FTA 9, 10, VP 11, 12, FHA 10, sec. 11, pres. 12, French 10, 11, 12, Drama 11, Pep 9, FHA 3rd place trophy award from the proficiency events.

Kelly Maureen Hershey: Biology 11, DECA 12.

Sandra Kelly Hicks: Band 9, 10, 11, section leader 12, HOSA 11, 12, FCA 11, 12, SAND 12.

Kimberly Michelle Hoke: FHA 9, 11, Library 10, HOSA 11, 12.

Steven Wayne Hoke: Maintenance Club 10, 11, 12, Track 10.

Michelle Peggy Hollar: Art 11, 12, Pep 10, 12, FTA 9, 10.

Tammy Janel Hooks: V. Basketball Stats. 10, 12, Spanish 10, 11, Biology 10, 11, FCA 9, 10, 11, 12, Monogram 11, 12.

Mark S. Hoover: VICA 11, 12.

Leshea Lynn Horton: FBLA 11, 12, Intro. to Business Award 10, Family Life Award 11, Personal Math Award 11.

Marty Ladd Houston: Maintenance 10, 11, 12 Pres., Tennis 10, 11, Biology 10, 11.

Scottie Edgar Houston: Spanish 10, 11, FCA 10, 11, 12 Sec/Treas., Football 9, 10, 11, 12, Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12, Beta Club 11, 12, Pep 12.

April Dawn Howell: JV Baseball Mgr. 9, Biology 10, DECA 11, 12, FTA 11, 12, Drama 10, Received trophy 9th grade for JV Baseball champs.

Hans Charles Hoyle: Maintenance 10, 11, 12 Reporter, Biology 10, 11, French 11, Wrestling 9, 10, Maintenance II Award.

Lori Lynn Huffman: DECA 11, 12 V.P. Reporter/Historian, Art 9, 10, 11, 12.

Mark David Huffman: Football 9, 10, 11, 12, Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12, FCA 10, 11, 12, Pep 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12.

Mark Timothy Huffman: Spanish 10, 11, Biology 10, 11, Cabinetmaking VICA 11, 12, Football 9, 10.

Cindy Marie Hullet: FHA 10, 11, DECA 11, Chorus 11, Band 9, 10, certificate for FHA meetings, band and chorus.

Denise Yvette Hurtado: Band 9, 10, 11, Section Leader 12, Pep 9, Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12, Aerospace 10, Biology 10, 11, Treas/Co. Pres. 12, SAND 12, Lab Asst. 12, Physical Science Award 11.

Rickey Dale James: Drafting I and II Awards 10, 11.

Audra Ann Jarman: Spanish 10, 11.

Danny Kevin Johnson: Biology 10, Football 9, 10, DECA 11, 12.

Tammy Lynn Johnson: FTA Treas. 11, VP 12, Biology 10, DECA 12, Drama 10, Band 10, 11, Flag Corp.

Jennfier Michelle Jones: Track 10, 11, Soccer 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, Sec/Treas. 12, Biology 11, 12, Pep 9, FCA 11, Team Before Self Soccer 11.

Sandra Frances Jones: Pep 9, 10, J.V. Cheerleader 10, Spanish 11, 12, Juniores 11, Biology 11, FCA 10, 11, 12, Monogram 11, 12, Varsity Cheerleader 11, 12, Track 9, FBLA 12.

Mark Kalkwark: Biology 10, 11, 12, FCA 9, 10, Football 9, 10, 11, 12.

Amy Delores Keller: Band 9, 10, 11, FTA 10, Deca 12, Pep 10.

Nicholas Christopher Kentopp: Track 9, 10, 11, 12, Cross Country 11, 12, Spanish 11, 12, Science 12, Sections 10, 11, 12 Track.

Stephanie Maire Kilby: Student Council 9, 11, French 10, SADD 10.

Curtis M. Kilgore: Band 9, 10, 11, Science 9, 10, 11, Drama 9, 10, 11 DECA 12, Junior

Achievement 9, 10, Pres. 11, Stage Band 9, 10, 11.

Elizabeth Anne Kirby: Biology 10, 11, Pep 9, French 9, FBLA 12.

Matthew Ray Kirby: Pep 9, 10, FCA 9, 10, Biology 10, 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Monogram 12, Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12, Baseball 10, 11, 12, Football 9, Phy. Science Award, College Prep Eng. 11, Escort 11, 12.

Gary Michael Klaus: Science 10, 11, 12, Sgt. at arms, Aerospace 10, French 9, 10, Pep 12.

Dia Monique Knight: Biology 12, ICT 12.

Alton Anthony Krantz: Extended Day 11, 12, Vocational Tech. 9, 10, 11.

Dana Lafone: Art 9, 10, 11, VP 12, Biology 10, FBLA 12.

Donna Lynn Lafone: Art 9, 10, Sec/Treas 11, 12, Biology 9, 10, French 12, FBLA 12, Homecoming Court 12, 1st Runner up Miss SSHS 11.

Kimberly Michelle Lafone: Pep 9, French 10, 11, FBLA VP 12, FCA 12, SADD 12.

Carla Michelle Lail: Pep 9, 10, FCA 9, Spanish 10, 11, Interact 10, 11, FHA 12, Bank 9, 10, 11, Sec. Leader 12, Sr. Rep 12, Consumer & Career Award, Music Award.

Tina DeAnn Lail: Biology 10, 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, FCA 10, VICA 11, 12.

Tracy Marie Landis: Library 9, 10, Home Ec 9, 10, 11, Radio 10, HOSA 11, VICA 12.

Annette Leigh Laws: FCA 9, 12, AFS 9, 10, DECA 11, Pres. 12, Biology 11, 12, J.V. Basketball 9, Spanish 10, 11, Student Council 9, 10, 11, Pep 9.

Marcella Lynn Linebarger: FBLA 12, Pep 12, Biology 11, FHA 11, FHA 10.

Kenneth Scott Little: Aero-Space 10, Spanish 11, 12, DECA 11, VP 12, Key 11, 12, Biology 12, Corona Staff 10.

Heather Livengood: Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12, Soph Class Pres. Student Body 2nd Vice, Student Body 1st Vice, NCASC 11, 12, State 2nd VP, French 9, 10, 11, 12, Sec. 11, Beta 11, 12, FCA 11, SADD Pres. 11, 12, Biology 10, 12, Varsity Cheerleader 12, Mars Hill Leadership Conference Jr. Counselor 12, YAC 9, Sec/Treas. 10, Pres 11, Prom Head Waitress Homecoming Rep 10, 11, 12, Miss SSHS 1st Runner Up 10.

Steve Lloyd: HOSA 12, Pep 12, FCA 12.

Tiffany Jane Lookadoo: Pep 9, 10, FCA 9, 10, 11, Spanish 10, 11, Interact 9, 10, 11, Beta 11, 12, Band 9, 10, Sec. Leader 11, 12, Alg. II Award, US History 11, Outstanding Junior Band Award 11, Junior Marshall 11, Valentine Princess 11.

Mike Ludwig: Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12, Baseball 9, 10, 12, Golf 11, Soccer 11, capt., Pep 9, 10, 11, Biology 9, 10, 11, 12, FCA 9, 10, 11, Monogram 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Homecoming escort 9, 11, MVP B-Ball 9, 10.

Darin Carroll Shook: Pep 9, Biology 10, 11, Beta 11, 12, Cabinet Making 11, 12, Wrestling 9, 10, 11, 12, FCA 12, Baseball 9, Track 10, Cabinet Making Award 10, 11, Co Coaches Award 11.

Lisa Warren Shook: Pep 9, Photo 9, Extended Day 12.

Robin Short: FCA 9, Pep 9, French 10, 11, 12, DECA 12, Cheerleading 9, Indianette 11, 12, 1st Runner Up Miss SSHS, Homecoming Court 11.

Leslie Michelle Shupe: Pep 10, HOSA Sec. 11, 12 VP, Biology 12.

Tina Louise Shull: Interact 9, Pep 9, Band 9, Biology 10, Spanish 10, Flag Corp 10, 11, SADD 12, HOSA 11, sec. 12, Junior Achievement 10, FCA 12.

Deidra Elizabeth Sigmon: FCA 9, 10, VP 11, pres. 12, Juniores 10, 11, Beta 11, pres. 12, Monogram 10, 11, French 10, 11, 12, Cross Country 11, capt. 12, Track 9, 10, 11, 12, Jr. Marshall 11.

Jeanna Lanay Sigmon: Pep 9, Biology 10, Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12, Art 11, 12, Monogram 12, Track 9, 10, 11, 12, Science 9.

Joy Elaine Sigmon: JV Volleyball 9, V Volleyball 10, 11, Tennis 12, JV Basketball co-capt. 9, V Basketball 10, Track 9, 10, Pep 9, Biology Treas. 10, 11, 12, FCA 9, 10, 12, Beta 11, 12, Impressions 10, Corona 11, Editor 12, Monogram 10, 11, 12, French 10, 11, 12, Jr. Marshall 11, SADD 12, JV Basketball MVP, Track all con. 9.

Tonie Lynn Silver: Spanish 10, 11, FCA 9, Biology 10, 11, Band 9, FBLA 12.

Benjamin Keith Simmons: Track 9, 10, Biology 10, 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Aerospace 9, 10, Photography 9, VICA 12.

Christopher Edward Simons: V Football 9, 12, Track 9, 10, 11, 12, V Basketball 9, 12, Cross Country 10, Soccer 11, Monogram 11, 12, Photography 9, FCA 10, 11, Art 12, SADD 12, Spanish 11, 12, All Con. Football 9, 12.

Olivia Ann Sims: DECA 12.

Brian Keith Singleton: Football 9, 10, Baseball 9, Wrestling 9, 10, 11, VICA 12, H Club 10, 11, Basketball 9.

C. Marshall Smith: Spanish 10, 11, FHA 11, DECA 11, 12, Bookstore Mgr. 12.

William Bradley Smith: Track 9, 10, Beta 11, 12, Monogram 11, 12, Art 12, Biology 12, Spanish 10, 11.

Tim Southers: JV Football 9, 10, V Football Trainer 11, 12, Wrestling Trainer 11, 12, Basketball 12, Track 9, Golf 12, Biology 10, 11, Pep 12, Monogram 11, 12, FCA 12, Volleyball Trainer 12.

Jonathan Derek Specht: Aerospace 9, 10, Biology 10, 11, 12, Monogram 11, 12, Football 9, 12, Track 10, 11, 12, Bus Driving 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11.

Sharon Denise Spencer: FHA 10, DECA 11,

Bookstore Asst. Mgr. 12.

Crystal Dawn Spires: Track 9, 10, 11, 12, Tennis 12, Basketball Mgr. 9, Pep 9, Biology 10, FBLA 12, SAND 12, Monogram 9, FCA 11, Spanish 10, All con. 9, 10.

Cynthia Leigh Starnes: V Basketball 9, 10, Volleyball 9, Pep 10, Monogram 11, 12, FCA 10, Biology 11, 12, French 10, 11, Band 9, Lettered 9, 10.

Susan Paige Starnes: Beta 11, 12, Student Council 11, sec./treas. 12, Volleyball 9, 10, 12, Basketball 9, 10, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, FCA 9, 10, Pep 9.

Jimmy Dale Stewart: Extended Day 12.

Dwight Stone: Wrestling 10, 11, 12, Cross Country 9, 10, 11, 12, Monogram 11, FCA 12, Boster 9, 10, 11, Pep 12.

Kimberly Dawn Stuart: Pep 9, 10, FCA 9, 10, 11, French 9, 10, 11, 12, FBLA 10, 11, Biology 11, 12, Juniores 10, 11, Monogram 10, 11, 12, V Track 9, 10, 12, Beta 11, 12, Flag Corp 12, NC Gov. School Nominee, Junior Usher 11.

Julie Ann Tallman: Interact 10, 11, pres. 12, Student Council 11, French rep 10, 11, 12, SADD 11, FTA 12, Art 11, Monogram 11, Biology 10, Indianettes 10, Chorus 9, Highest Average Award Native Amer. Studies, Letter and cert. Indianettes, Letter and cert. Chorus.

Angela Diane Teague: FCA 9, 10, 11, 12, Monogram 10, 11, sec./treas. 12, JV volleyball 9, V Volleyball 11, 12, JV Basketball 9, 10, capt. V Basketball 11, 12, Pep 9, 10, Biology 9, 10, French 10, 11, 12, MVP JV Basketball 10.

Angela Kay Terry: Flag Corp 10, 11, 12, capt. DECA 12, VP Activities, Debate 10, French 10, 11, 12, Pep 9, FCA 10, Biology 9, Debate Award.

Toni Annette Throneburg: Pep 9, Student Council 9, 10, pres. 11, 12, French 9, Treas. 10, Pres. 11, pres. 12, Juniores 10, 1st VP 11, Pres. 12, Debate 10, pres. 11, pres. 12, Tennis 10, 11, 12, JV Cheerleader 9, YAC 9, 10, Jr. Marshall 11, Most Outstanding Jr. 11, Top 10 Miss SSHS 11, NC Gov. School 11.

Melanie Lynne Troutman: Pep 9, 10, FCA 9, 10, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Biology 9, 10, DECA VP Activities 12.

Alberto Vasquez: Jr. OTC 9, 10, 2nd Plt. Leader, Soccer 9, 10, Extended Day pres. 12, 4 Awards Jr. OTC.

Heidi Beth VonDohlen: JV Basketball 10, V Basketball 11, Beta 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, Monogram 12, FCA 10, 11, 12, SADD 11, 12, Office Asst. 10.

Lisa Jean VonDohlen: Spanish 10, 11, SADD 11, VP 12, JV Basketball Mgr. 10, Monogram 12, FCA 10, 11, 12, Beta 11, 12, V. Basketball Mgr. 11, Guidance Off. Asst. 10.

Melissa Ann Walker: Softball 9, Beta 11, 12, Biology 9, FBLA 11, 12, Spanish 10, Homecoming Rep. 10, Miss SSHS 10, Office

Occup. II pres. 12.

Vonda Ann Warf: Band 9, Band Front 10, Feature Twirler 11, FCA 9, 10, Drama 11, VICA, Spanish 10, Parliamentary Procedure Team 11, Extended Day sec. 11, Homecoming Court 12, Miss SSHS 11, SADD 11, Southern Assoc. 12.

Gena Marie Watson: Pep 9, 10, FCA 9, 10, Indianettes 10, 11, 12, Spanish 11, 12, Biology 11, FBLA 12.

Clarence Gordon Wells Jr.: Episcopal Youth pres. 12, Extended Day 12.

Gaye Denise Wells: FCA 9, 10, 11, Pep 9, 10, Biology 11, 12, French 10, 11, 12, YAC 9.

Gordon K. Wetmore: Aerospace 9, 10, Pep 10, SAND Exec. Off. 12, Band 9, 10, 11, 12.

Mark Douglas White: Chorus 9, 10, 12, VP 9, 12, Biology 10, 11, Spanish 11, ICC 9, Freshman Choral Award, Valentine Prince 11, Amer. Legion Boys State member.

Kathleen Blanche Wiener: Band 9, Drama 10, 11, Pres. 12, French 10, 11, 12, received award for the Drama class 10.

Annette Yvonne Williams: Cross Country 9, 10, 11, 12, Mgr., Track 9, 10, 12, Mgr. Art 9, 10, HOSA 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, 12, FHA 12.

Regina Winebarger: FCA 9, 10, 11, 12, Pep 9, Biology 10, FBLA 11, VICA 12, Juniores 11, 12.

Todd Williams Winks: Art 11, Art II award.

Crystal Adele Withers: French 9, 10, 11, 12, Basketball 9, 11, 12, Track 10, 11, 12, FBLA 12, Drama 10, Pep 9, Most improved Basketball 9, 11.

James Edward Withers: Football 9, FBLA 11, Cross Country 10, 11, 12, Wrestling 9, 10, 11, 12, Track 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, 12, most improved runner, All con.

Leigh Anne Woods: JV Basketball 9, JV Volleyball 10, V Volleyball 11, 12, Track 10, 11, Beta 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, FCA 9, 10, Monogram 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12.

Chad Andrew Young: Wrestling 9, 10, Biology 10, 11, 12, Spanish 11, 12, Quiz Bowl 10, capt. 11, 12, Pep 10, Debate 10, Eagle Scout.

Alisa Tara Yount: Extended Day 9, 10, 11, 12.

Lisa Marie Zimmerman: Volleyball 10, most improved 11, All con. and co. capt. 12, Track 11, Radio 10, Treas. 11, 12, FCA 11, 12, Biology 11, Debate 11, Band 9, 10, 11, Student Council 9, Torch 12, Quill & Scroll 12, Beta 11, 12, Spanish 9, 11, 12, Impressions Sr. Editor.

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Timothy James Lutz: VICA 11, 12, Applied Math Award 10.

Donald Bruce Lynn: Science 11, 12, Biology 11, Spanish 10, 11.

Jennifer Leigh Marshall: French 9, FBLA 10, 11, DECA 12, SAND 12, Library 10.

Mavis Gail Martin: FCA 9, 10, 11, 12, Cheerleading 9, 10 co-capt., 11, 12, Juniors 9, 10, 11, Monogram 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Pep 9, 10, AFS 9, French 9, Biology 9, 10, 11.

John Anderson Mast: Extended Day 12, Parliamentarian, Weight Lifting 10, FBLA 10 reporter.

Melissa Ann Matthews: DECA 11, 12.

Deborah McCarley: Art 9, 10, Chairman 11, Biology 11, Drama 12, French 9, 10, 11, Chorus 11, Pres. 12, Pep 10, Readers Theater 11, 12, Thesbian Society.

Martha Gail McCray:

Lora Ann McDaniel: Pep 9, 10, FCA 9, 10, 11, Interact 9, Sec. 10, 2nd VP 11, HOSA 11, Reporter 12, Band 9, 10, Flag Corp 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11.

Vanessa Lee McPherson: Indianettes 10, 11, 12, Juniors 9, 10, 11, 12, FCA 9, 10, French 10, 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, Beta 11, 12, Jr. Marshall, Alg. I 9, Alg. II 10, Geo. 11, French I 10, French II 11, Chem. 11, Geo. 11, Military History 11, Student of the month 10.

Joy Elizabeth Mikell: Drama 10, 11, Spanish VP 11, DECA 12, Student Council 9.

Anthony Scott Miller: French 11, 12, Math 10, Shop 10.

Patrick Lowell Miller: DECA 12.

Tammatha Dawn Minton: Spanish 10, 11, DECA 12.

Maria Jean Mitchell: VICA 12, FHA 9, 10, HOSA 9, 10, 11.

Nancy Jo Money: HOSA 11, FHA 11.

Jeanneane Michelle Moore: FBA 9, 11, Sec. 12, FBLA, Biology 10, 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11.

Trini Chevon Moore: Extended Day 12.

Kevin Scott Moser: FCA 10, 11, 12, Pep 9, Biology 10, 11, 12, Monogram 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12.

Derrick Gerald Mullen: Lettered in basketball 11.

Daryl Anthony Page: Jogging VP 9, Soccer 9, 12, Swimming 11, Key rep. 10, Golf 11, 12, Trivial Pursuit VP 11, Quiz Bowl 10, Capt. 11, 12, Science 12.

Scott Morgan Parrish: Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, Science 11, Pres. 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Soccer 11, Capt. 12, Tennis 10, 11, 12, Cross Country 12, Aerospace 9, Pep 9, Close-Up 12, Track 12, Freshman Class Pres. Junior Class VP, Senior

Class Pres.

Patrick Wayne Parsons: Spanish 10, 11, 12, Pep 12, FCA 10, 11, 12, Biology 10, 11.

David Peeler: French 10, 11.

Lisa Renae Pennell: Pep 10, Math 10, DECA 11, 12, Biology Award 10, Marketing Award 11.

Aundrea Vontrena Poovey: Student Council sec./treas. 9, 10, Basketball 9, 10, Track 11, 12, Indianettes 11, Capt. 12, FCA 10, 11, 12, Pep 9, 10, Spanish rep. 11, 12, Pres. 12, Freshman Homecoming Rep., Prom Waitress, Senior Homecoming Rep. Miss SSS, YAC 10, 11.

Amy Lynn Pope: Biology 10, 11, 12, FCA 10, French 10, 11, Juniors 11, 12, Monogram 11, 12, Tennis 10, 11, Art 9, 10, 11, 12, Track 11, 12, Most improved tennis player 11, Treas. Art 12.

Tonia Yvette Pressley: FTA 9, 10, 11, VICA 11, 12, Biology 12, HO 11, Pep 9, 10.

Kelly Wayne Price: Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12, Biology 10, Beta 11, 12, Quill & Scroll 11, 12, Math 10, VP 11, Pres. 12, Radio 10, Editor 11, SADD 11, Interact 12, Student Council 10, 11, 12, Southern Assoc. 12, Corona 11, 12, Most outstanding jr. Junior Marshall 11.

Hope Lynnette Propst: Biology 10, 12, FTA 11, French 11, 12, DECA 12, Corona 11, People Ed. 12.

Wendy Karen Propst: Art 9, 12, Tennis 9, 10, 11, 12, Student Council Sec./Treas. 11, 12, FCA 9, 10, Biology 10, 11, French 10, 11, 12, Beta 11, 12, Torch 12, Most improved tennis 10, MVP tennis 11, All Con. tennis 11, Chief Jr. Marshall.

David Punch: Aerospace 9, 10, Biology 9, 10, VICA 12 photographer, Spanish 11.

Sheila Ann Putnam: FHA 9, HOSA 10, 11, FHA 12, Biology 12, HOSA 12, SAND 12.

Melissa Lynn Randall: VICA 11, 12, Biology 12, FTA 10, 11.

Charles Robert Reading: Student Council 11, 12, SADD 11, 12, FCA 9, 10, 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, 12, Science 12, Spanish 11, 12, French 9, Baseball 9, 12, Aerospace 9, Pep 9, Close-Up 12, Band 9, 10, Lettered in Baseball 12, Lettered in band 9.

Robert Asbury Redden: Impressions 9, 10, 11, 12, French 9, 10, 11, Science 9, 12, Math sec./treas. 10, Biology VP 10, 11, 12, Beta 11, VP 12, HOSA pres. 11, SADD 11, Pub. relations Chairman 12, Quill & Scroll 11, sec./treas. 12, student council class vp 11, 12, Radio 12, FCA 12, Close-Up VP 12, Jr. Marshall 11, Waiter for Jr.-Sr. Prom, Mr. Congeniality Mr. SSS 11.

James W. Reece: Spanish 9, 10, 11, 12, FCA 11, 12, Biology 10, 11, 12, Quill & Scroll 12, Pep 9, Torch 11, editor 12.

Dana Denise Reese: Pep 9, 10, FBLA 11, Treas. 12, Biology 12, FCA 9, 10.

Karen Elaine Reitzell: FCA 9, 10, 11, 12,

Spanish 10, 11, Monogram 10, VP 11, 12, Beta 11, 12, Track 9, 10, 11, 12, JV Basketball 9, capt. 10, V Basketball 10, 11, 12, Tennis 11, 12, Track all con. 9, 10, 11, Team Before Self 9.

Gayle Annette Rhyne: FCA 9, 10, 11, sec. 12, Juniors 10, 11, 12, Student Council 9, 10, Monogram 11, 12, Pep 9, 10, Spanish 10, 11, 12, JV Cheerleading head 9, V Cheerleading 10, 11, head 12.

David Rhyne Robbins: Shop 10, 11, 12.

Michael David Roberts: Pep 9, FCA 9, Biology 10, Science 11, sgt. at arms 12, Football 9, SADD 11, NCSPA photography award, nominated for NCSSM.

Angela Dalene Robinson: Newspaper reporter 9, 11, Pep 9, 10, Beta 9, FHA vp 9, HO 10, Southern Assoc. 12, Cheerleading 9, Tennis 10, Library 12, Homecoming Court Nominee 12, Extended Day Ind. Training sec. 12, Spanish 10, Nat. Volunteer Award, N.C. Volunteer Award Pres. Youth Volunteers of Frye Hospital.

Tina Michelle Robinson: FCA 9, 10, Biology 10, 11, 12, Spanish 11, 12, HOSA 12.

Mari Jean Rockett: Student Council 9, Soph. sec./treas 10, 11, 12, Beta 11, 12, FCA 9, 10, 11, 12, French rep. 10, 11, 12, Biology 9, 10, 11, Juniors 10, 11, FBLA 12, SADD Sec. 11, VP 12, Jr. Marshall, Interact 9, JA 10, Pep 9, Southern Assoc. Staff and Adm. Com. 12.

Scott J. Rosenschein: Biology 10, 11, 12, Football 9, 10, 12, Basketball 9, 10, 12, Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12, French 10, 11, 12, Baseball MVP 10, MVP 11.

Tamara Renee Ross: FBLA 11, 12.

Lajeana Kay Rudisill: Pep 9, Spanish 10, 11, FCA 10, 11, 12, HOSA 12, Volleyball 10, 11, Conference champs 11.

Gina Marie Ryan: Pep 9, 10, Biology 10, 11, 12, Spanish 10, 11, 12, FCA 9, 10, 12.

Joseph Osborne Saulnier: Radio editor 9, 10, 11, pres. 12, Math 10, 11, treas. 12, HOSA 11, Student Council 11, 12, Drama 10, YAC 9, 10, Beta 11, treas. 12, AFS 10, 11, Spanish 10, 11, 12, Quill & Scroll 11, Pres. 12, Hugh O'Brian, Youth Foundation, Univ. for Young American, Jr. Marshall.

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Michelle Hope Segars: Spanish 9, FBLA 11, 12, Junior Achievement 10, 11, 12.

April Collette Setzer: FBLA 11, 12.

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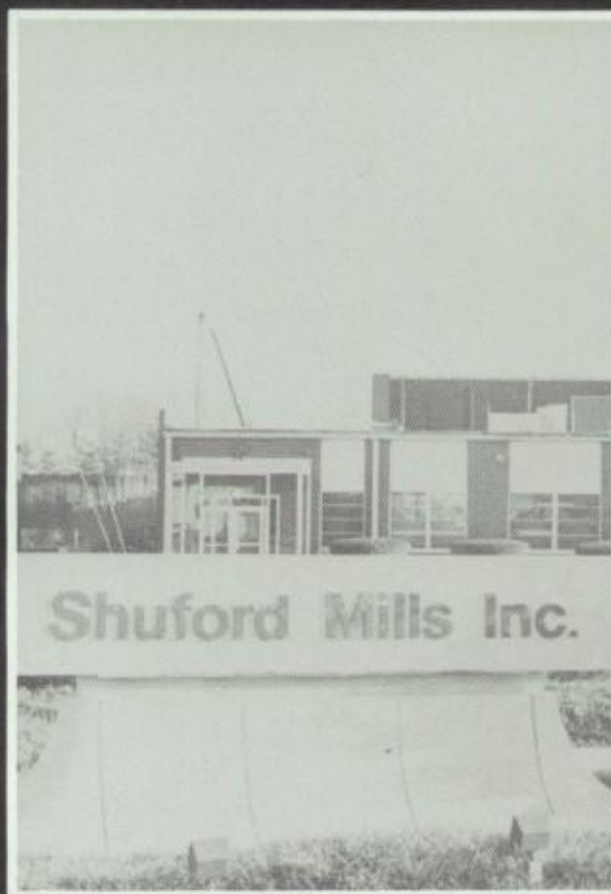
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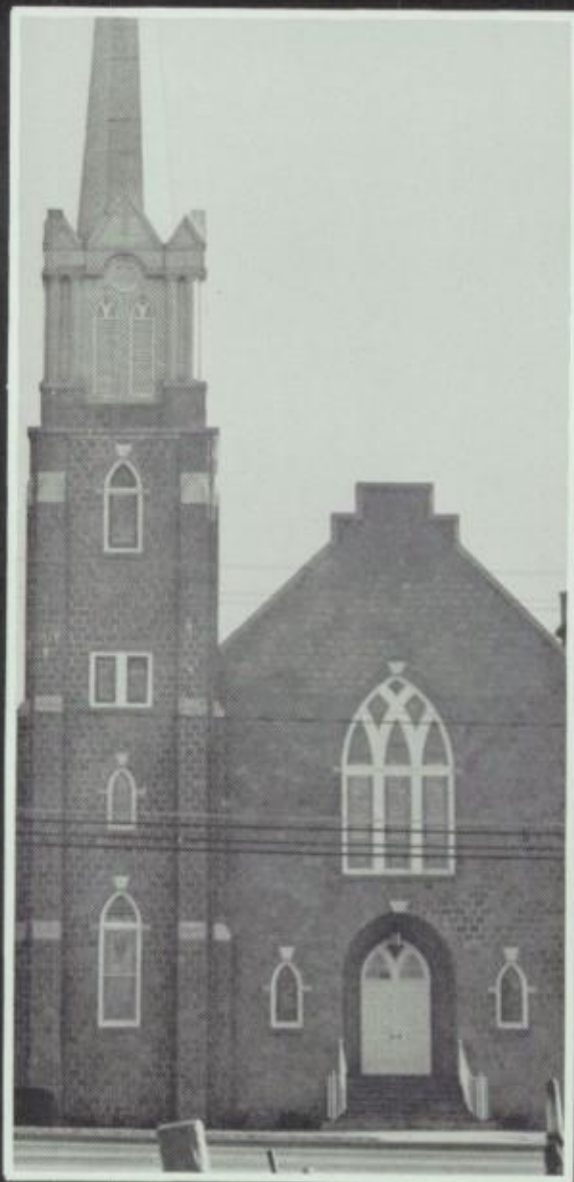
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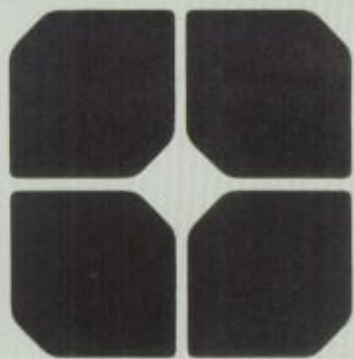


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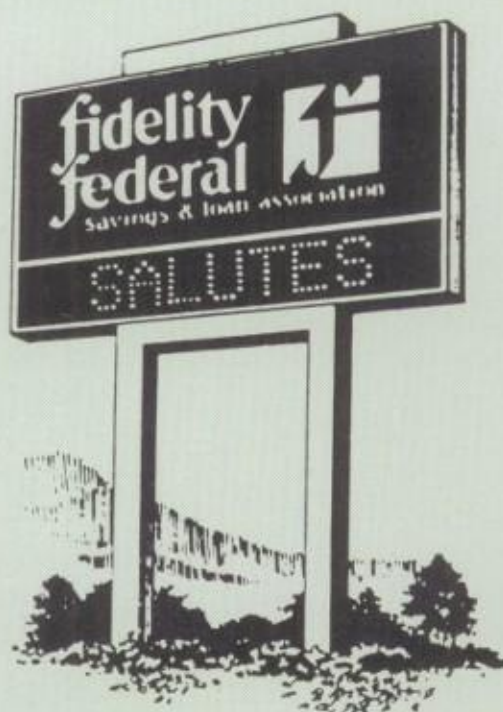
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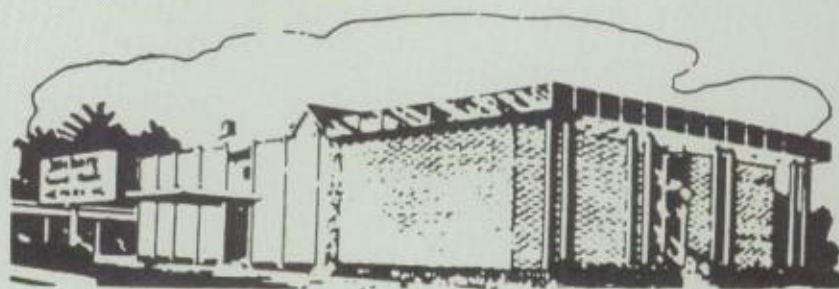
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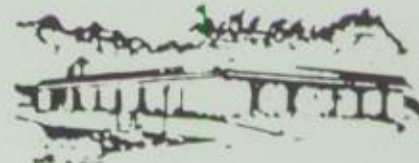
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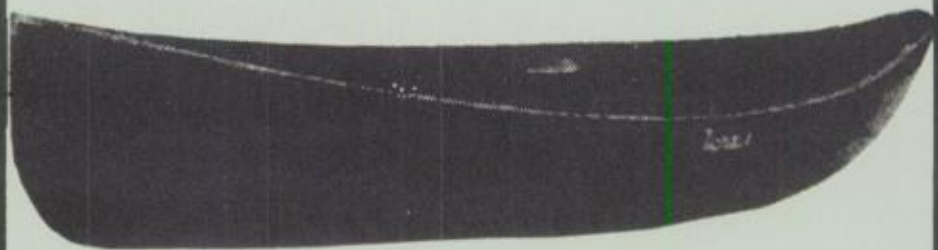
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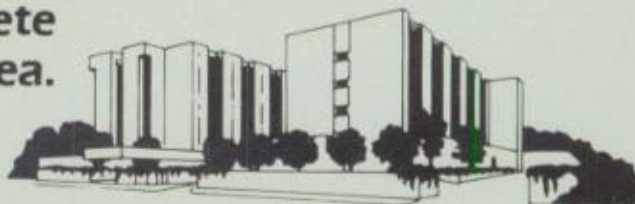
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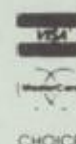
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Tammy Faulkner

The ideals which have lighted my way, and time after time have given me new courage to face life cheerfully, have been Kindness, Beauty, and Truth. — Albert Einstein



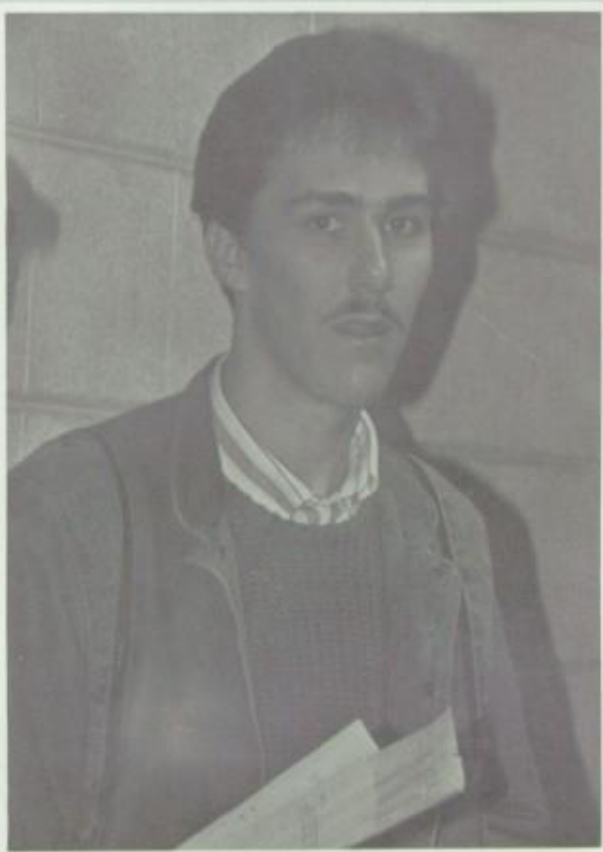
Heather Livengood

Dare to be singular — let others sleep. — Bronson Alcott

Vanessa McPherson

Education is not preparation for life; education is life itself. — John Dewey





Kelly Price

It is not the brains which matter most, but that which guides them — the character, the heart, generous qualities, progressive ideas. — Fyodor Dostoyevski

Wendy Propst

... a man's body (is) as a kind of flame, like a candle flame, forever upright, and yet flowing; and the intellect is just the light that is shed on to the things around. — D.H. Lawrence



Scott Rosenschein

Well knows he who uses to consider, that our faith and knowledge thrive by exercise, as well as our limbs and complexion. — John Milton

Deldre Sigmon

Whoever he may be, and wherever he may be placed, the man who thinks becomes a light and a power. — Henry George



Toni Throneburg

Most persons are conformists; they follow, they never create; the non-conformist alone is a creative person. — Grant Singleton

From the Editors . . .

Communication problems, we all have them it was even harder to communicate when the co-editors-in-chief were in a sixth period class while the Corona period was fourth. Despite this problem, the Corona staff thinks that this book is one of the best books that St. Stephens has had in a long time. With several new additions such as the 'mini-mag,' fold-out, and organization of layouts, this book could be considered a definite new and limited edition.

To go along with our new book this year, we also had a new company printing it, Jostens, and a new advisor, Mrs. Jane Lee. We were pleased with the services provided and new design options offered by Jostens. Our advisor, Mrs. Lee, also gave us different ideas since she was a previous year-book advisor.

Putting together the Corona takes a lot of work from many people. The editors would like to thank their staff for all the time spent after school just to meet that DEADLINE. We would like to thank Mrs. Lee for taking on many responsibilities of the editors since we were unable to be in the fourth period class. Thanks also go to Mrs. Billie Holland for helping out in the business area of the Corona, and Mr. Bumgarner for allowing us to use his room sixth period.

Last but not least thanks goes to the student Council for all their help throughout the year and to Mr. Thronburg for giving us a Corona Day.



D. Bolick



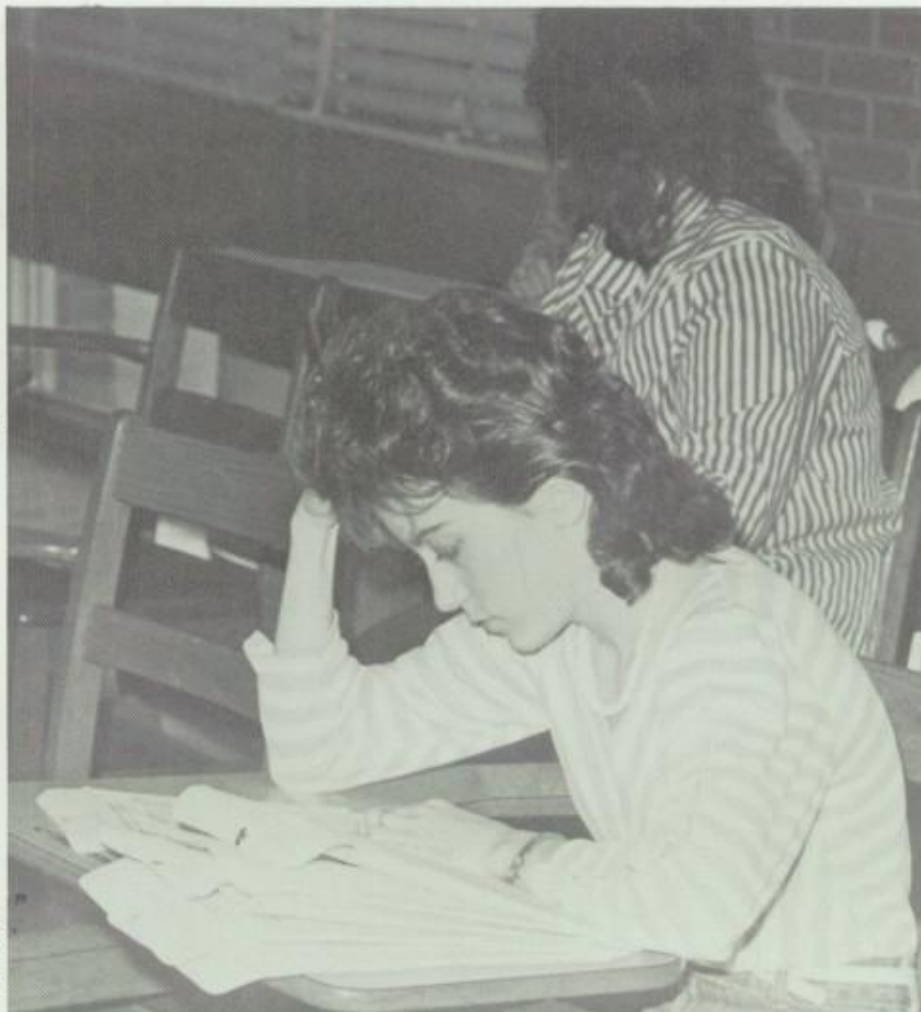
D. Bolick

Mary Beckom, editor-in-chief, has to check many proofs before they can be sent off to Jostens.

Joy Sigmon, editor-in-chief, gets to work on her layout, hoping to meet the deadline.



D. Bolick



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M. Roberts

Kelly Price, Managing Editor, seems to be saying, "You can't put that in the yearbook."

Denise Lunsford, Business Editor, does not always work on the business part of the Corona.

The editors of the yearbook staff: **Mary Beckom**, **Kelly Price**, **Joy Sigmon**, and **Denise Lunsford**

I on down,

Hi! I know sometimes you may feel "left out" of the main stream, please remember that the most important thing in the world is not being popular. It is keeping your morals and being yourself. There's nothing wrong with being different, so keep being your own BEAUTIFUL self and trust in God. You're a very special person to me so keep smiling!

Love

Lammie Faulkner

LIMITED EDITION

The 1985-86 Corona staff wanted to produce a unique book, such as St. Stephens had never seen before. Thus we derived our theme, Limited Edition. There are many things that come in limited editions — cars, art prints and books, to name a few. Limited editions are always designated as being unique by a seal or a number. Since your cover is an original work of art, each book has been individually numbered. This year's book is unique, not only on the cover but also in every page. Throughout the book, the Corona staff has tried to come up with new ideas and new ways of presenting the Corona and our school to you. For all St. Stephens students and especially her seniors, this year we place the stamp of Limited Edition upon 1985-86 forever.

Special thanks to Todd Winks, who did the beautiful piece of artwork on our cover. We are proud to showcase his talent.

Mary Beckom — Co-Editor
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Kim Johnson
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Lisa Miller
Shannon Rowe
Eric Sain
Lisa Sigmon
Maida Sigmon
Bryan Spencer
Laura Wheeldryer
Shane Yount

Gordon,
 you've proven
 your special
 talent as achieving
 the unusual. Just kidding
 hope you have enjoyed
 your years in the very near
 future and not fifth period either!



Gordie,
 I hope you enjoy
 you're summer. I know
 you'll be glad to get
 out of Chemistry.

Jerusa

Gordon,
 I think you're a very talented
 and special person. You'd better
 stay just the same and I know you'll
 go far in life! Best of luck in all
 that you do!
 Love
 Vanessa McPherson

Gordon,
 This year has gone by
 so fast! You're a very nice
 guy! Best wishes in every-
 thing you attempt!
 Love,
 Melinda
 Clappitt

Gordon,
 a little you are
 But senior you pick
 friend anyway. Have fun
 and I hope you make it
 in life.
 P.S. Don't get married
 too soon
 Shawn

Gordon,
 it has been a
 pleasure having you
 in Chemistry class.
 You have a lot of
 potential. Good luck
 and best wishes.
 Mr. Mott

Gordon,
 So how have you been?
 Next year you are going
 to college, I hope you
 don't argue with the
 teachers too much, you
 have a bad habit of
 doing it. Go to a college
 with a good P & D club
 in it, so you can get
 some practice. Good
 luck in the future and
 now

Robert Munn

Gordon,

This year has been great!
Band has been great! I
hope next year is superior
all the way. Too bad you
won't be here though. I
hope you do come to all
our games and competitions
to cheer for us. Good Luck
in all you do cause you
deserve it. Stay sweet!

Love

Crystal B.

Gordon,

Well it's almost over
for you. Have fun
and PART all
summer,

Bradshaw

Andrew Suman

always your best friend
Good luck in college at U.N.C. Charlotte
to play DTD this summer.
may we can teach you how
it is you that are creating up
this is written normally

Madie

Dorden,
Well, this is our last year of high school and I think I'm going to cry. We've had a lot of good times and I'm very thankful for those memories. I've known you since 7th grade Dorden and I'm really glad I've had that pleasure. You are one of the nicest and most sincere guy I know. I'll never forget you. I wish you all the luck in the world. Have fun this summer!

Love,
Duffy

Siberian
fag
Desbian
Weirdo's

Gordon.

It's been interesting having you in Mr. Hoke's class. You are an intelligent person. I hope you do great in college but please apply yourself and do your work.

Good Luck!! Love ya!
Kathleen

SMILE

Gordon,
(I thought I'd sign beside my bud Beamy)
Have you enjoyed Mr. Hoke this year?
Believe it or not I've really learned a lot in here! Good luck in college next year. Best wishes in life!

Love,
Karen Buttrill
"Speed"
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My
Jordan!
Hopefully, you're
Senior year was as
great as mine. I'm sure
it was, you had Tina! you
guys have been through a lot, have
n't you. After June 5, well be knocking
them dead at Myrtle Beach! whatever happens,
remember to always do your best. Take care of
yourself and may God bless you always. Love you!

Wif. Secret



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Received

Do you remember
for what I
said about the
difference between
this year's
picture and
last (or what
Donna said)?
Well, I thought
about it &
I agree.



This is definitely a
unique idea.

I should be doing that
Calculus, but I just
can't find the energy
to pick up the book.
Our flowers look
wilted. Oh I like all
those balloons sitting
in my room. All I
need now is about
20 more & momma
will stay out of my
room.

Je te sais pas très bien. (I had to say something dirty).
I'm certainly glad you found me in time because if you
hadn't I'm sure I would have went on that car ride
but there probably would have been only one other person. (I'm not a)
We have certainly been through some rough times & I think its
only improved our relationship. You've also improved my
wardrobe. I love my new clothes! It's 7:20, I guess you're
still asleep. Ha, as soon as I wrote this you called. ESP.
I hope you were just being pessimistic about the green
116 because in my dream we both made it.
I've taken this annual to school every day & it's
been in my possession about 1 hour out of 6 or 7. I don't mind.
I just make sure I know who has it. There are
a lot of things I would like to say, but if I
do say them I'll tell ^{them} you because I'll probably
need a hug for being so brave. I can't wait until
we go to the beach. I just wish it could last
longer than a week & we could get rid of a few
~~people~~ people. I'll have to admit I agree with most
of your friends. You do make people mad, but there
is one major difference between them and me. I Love you.

Love,

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Brother,
Hey! It's been
four years in
band. Have a great
summer!
Sabrina

Grady,
Well this has
been a really wild
year! Lots of luck
in the future! Have
a really wild
summer!

See ya,
Michelle
Class of
'87

Dordon,
Hi! Just wanted
to say Best wishes
and good luck in
the future with Gina!
Friends,
Todd Wright

